ATLANTA. GA., MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 11, 1897.

# SUNDAY LOBBYING MAY SAVE THE BILL

Funding of Pacific Railroad Debt Was Dead Saturday Night.

WORK WENT ON YESTERDAY

Fight Was a Bitter One and Has Produced Two Determined Factions.

CALIFORNIA HAS BEEN THE STORM CENTER

Huntington and His Associates Will Get What They Want if the Measure Prevails.

Washington, January 10 .- (Special.)-It is the general impression tonight that the Pacific railroad funding bill will be defeated, though old heads are dublous on account of the fact that Sunday intervenes between the argument and the vote. The possibilities of Sunday to an efficient and well organized lobby are well known, and it is this which injects the doubt into the prophecies.

Last night after the debate had been concluded and an amendment in-'creasing the interest rate demanded of these roads from 2 per cent to 3 had been adopted, Judge Culberson, whose voice in behalf of or against any measure is worth many votes, told me that the bill had met its death. He based his declaration on the action on that amendment which was in direct opposition to the contention of the house committee on Pacific railroads, which has that measure in charge. The judge is very careful about making prophecies and it is very seldom indeed that those he does make go awry: but this one n

California the Storm Center. The bitterness of the fight made on this bill has made the debate highly interesting. The storm center of the opposition is, of course, California, where there are Huntington and anti-Huntington factions not only in politics, but in churches and sewing circles, in religion and society. The present delegation in congress is with a single exception anti-Huntington. That exception is Grove Johnson, who made such sensational attack upon Hearst, of The Journal and The Examiner, on Fri-Johnson's speech did not appear in The Record, being reservfor revision. I hear that as he originally drafted it, his attack was with this country. even more virulent than that he delivered but he seems to have thought better of it

and it is believed he will put it through a

thorough fumigation process before it appears in cold type. The other Californians are not only against the bill, but they are against it apparently, with all the force of their respective natures. The leader of the fight California district. He was expected to make the leading speech against the bill but was prevented from doing this by Hepburn, of Iowa, who objected to the extension of time while the house was acting under the five minute rule-a courtes; which the opposition to the bill extended on all occasions to those who favored it. It was a display of littleness that did not help the cause for which Mr. Hepburn was working any more than did General Grosvenor's attempt to make it appear that those who opposed the bill were in favor

of government ownership of railroads on What the Opposition Contends. As explained in my dispatch last night,

ocates of the measure take the ground that it is a plain business propo sition and secures for the government the best arrangement that can possibly be secured. This is denied-forcibly and vigor ously denied, by those who take the nega tive end of the proposition.

"I contend." said Representative Maguire

up its provisions, "that the measure is vi cious from every standpoint of public in terest. It is decidedly the worst bill on this subject that has ever been presented to congress-much worse than the Reilly bill which was before the last congress, and which, although strongly urged by the Huntington interests, was defeated. The situation is this: The debts of those com panies, about \$115,000,000, will soon mature to meet these obligations. Under the existing law the mortgage of the government st be foreclosed and the road sold. We believe, and it is the opinion of railroad men, that if forced to sale the road would bring \$120,000,000. It is all poppycock to say the properties would find no purchasers Such a sale would pay off the first mortgage indebtedness, leave the governmen \$60,000,000 and would give the Pacific coast the benefit of a competing transcontinental line. Government officials whose duty is has been to study the situation, among them Messrs. Coombs and Anderson, gov ernment directors of the Union Pacific, have testified that in their judgment the government would in this way get a larger share of its claims than it can under any

"What is the proposition of Huntington and his associates, as is set forth in this funding bill? For it must be remembered that this is their bill-their plan of settle ment. The bill imposes on the government the carrying of this \$115,000,000 of railroad debts for an average period of about fiftyfive years, at 2 per cent interest. The gov ernment has to pay 3 and 316 per cent for the money it borrows; these people only offer to pay 2 per cent. I estimate that the effect of the proposition that is made to congress would be the loss to the government of over \$85,000,000 in the excess of interest it would have to pay over the 2 per

No Better Security Than Now. Judge Maguire is very positive in his dec larations that the only people whose interests are really protected by this bill are those now in control of the property. He contends that the bill does not give the government a whit more security than it has under the present law-that, indeed, it would be less; and that the extension grant ed by the bill simply puts the governmen back of the properties in a way that would benefit those now in control without getting

These are, stated in a general way, the grounds of opposition to the bill. Acting in committee of the whole the house adopted

anything of value for the government in

roads must pay 3 per cent interest instead of 2; the other providing that the mortgages shall cover all of the property of these companies of whatsoever kind, the feeders as well as the main line. The original bill specified certain property which it was to cover. The adoption of these amendments may fairly be taken as showing the sentiment of the house to be opposed to the bill as introduced. If the friends of the bill want to take it with those amendments, they may be able to force it through. It is doubtful whether they will urge it very strongly-it is hard to see how they can, If they have been true in their declarations BUT WILL SHERMAN ACCEPT? SUFFOCATING WHEN FOUND SAYS CONVERTS ARE MADE YET that the roads could not possibly pay more than the 2 per cent. But the general impression is that the people now in control of the roads will agree to pay 3 per cent, for they cannot afford to lose control.

The Doubtful Element. Many members are doubtful as to just what is the best solution of the vexed problem. They do not feel that, in view of the declarations made by the opponents of the present measure they can afford to vote for it. Northway, of Ohio, a conservative, highly respected member, got more ap plause than anybody when he expressed views on this line. There are many others who feel like him. They may vote for the bill, taking the view that it is the only chance to save anything for the government, or they may vote against it, feeling that it is better to do this than to vote for measure whose virtues they believe to be uncertain, if not altogether absent. The fate of the measure depends largely

CHILEAN CLAIMS COMMISSION. SECRETARY OLNEY AND MINIS-TER GANA CONFER.

on this doubtful element. The chances are

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against its passage.

Nineteen Cases Left Over When the Adjudicators Dissolved May Now Be Finally Settled.

Washington, January 10 .- Secretary Olney and the Chilean minister, Senor Gana, ave practically reached a successful conclusion to the long negotiations for a re-nabilitation of the Chilean claims commision, which ended its existence by limitation nearly two years ago without com-pleting its labors, and it is understood hat the commission will assemble in this city next October and consider the re-maining cases, of which seventeen are American claims against Chile, and two, of the Ttala, are supported by Chile against the United States.

These constitute today the sole causes for fraction between the two countries, which have been notably cordial in the profession friendship for the past year, and believed the settlement will dispose of any lingering animosity which resulted from the Baltimore affair and other incidents which led the Chileans to the verge of war

The present visit of Admiral Beardsley in the flagship Philadelphia to Valparalso is thought to have contributed considerably

When the six months' existence of the minister, Alfred de Claparede, was presine to an end after having disposed of twenty-five cases, every effort was made by Secretary Gresham to induce Representative Maguire, of the fourth | Chile to extend its term, but a cabinet crisis occurred in that country just at that time and it was found impossible to accomplish anything in that direction.

At the instance of this government, how-

ver, negotiations were resumed and eventhe prorata settlement of the remaining cases by the payment of such amount of the face of the remaining claims as the aggregate amount awarded by the commissioners on claims they had already settled bore to the face amount of the claims left over. Chile pointed out that England, France, Spain and other countries had found this method satisfactory with their nistration insisted that very claim had to be examined and se ed on its merits by a commission. Chile en suggested a lump compromise and when this was also rejected, that government offered to agree to another commission provided it sat at Santiago, as the claimants were mostly Americans and or condition that the claim of the North and South American Construction Company

should be ruled out. Secretary Olney declined to consent to either of these propositions and sought to ave the old commission rehabilitated as far as John Goode, the American member and Senor Gana, the Chilean member, were cerned, with a new president in place of that the proceedings should continue from the point at which they were interrupted ted. Fortunately a year ago it was foun possible to get rid of the North and South American Construction Company, as an impediment and by a compromise Senor Gana, paying Secretary Olney \$150,000 on January 15th last, this was settled permanently. With this out of the way it is understood that Chile has at last consented to resuscitate as far as possible the old commission and have it complete its

MILLS WILL SPEAK FOR CUBA. Senator Proctor Wants Presidential

Term Made Six Years. Washington, January 10.-In the senate tomorrow Mr. Mills, of Texas, is booked for a speech on Cuba. His text will be the resolution he introduced a few days ago recognizing the independence of the re lic of Cuba, declaring it to be the duty of the executive to act in harmony ongress in recognizing a new state and diplomatic representation to the republic when the president shall have appointed

The extreme position taken by Mr. Mills leads to the belief that his speech may be, to some extent, sensational and that his criticism of the attitude of Mr. Olney may

Senators are awaiting the return to the city of Mr. Cameron, who is in charge of the Cuban question. There does not ap-

pear to be any desire fust now to push the recognition questions.

Mr. Proctor, of Vermont, has given notice that tomorrow he will address the senate upon his resolution for a constitu-tional amendment making the presidential office a six-year term and the occupant inmaking the terms of members of congress

three instead of two years. Early in the week the attempt will be made to secure a vote on the Oklanoma free homestead bill, and when that is out road legislation as to make the attempt

CONFESSION OF JUDGMENTS.

Cincinnati, January 10.—The recent sud-den death of Martin Weber, vice president and backer of the Walker White Lead Company, brought about a pressure from creditors, which culminated today in a confession of judgment for about \$10,000. The

# WANTS SHERMAN IN HIS CABINET

State Portfolio.

Hanna Would Like To Take a Seat in | Physicians and Jailers Have All They the Senate.

BUT FORAKER MIGHT POSSIBLY OBJECT PRISONERS FEIGN IGNORANCE OF AST

It Is Not Believed That in Case Sherman Resigns Hanna Would Be Appointed Senator.

Cleveland, O., January 10.-Major McKinlater enjoyed a long drive. He will leave for Canton this morning and expects to remain there till the 1st of March.

Major McKinley said to a friend yesterday that this week would be an important one in the process of organizing his cabinet and administration. The formation of the cabinet hinges upon the salient and pivotal his window and went at once to ascertain positions of secretary of state and secre- the cause tary of the treasury. It is quite probable that both of these important cabinet portfoos will be tendered and accepted by the end of the week. Senator Sherman has had and he will go to Canton whenever president-elect desires him to, and his visit will, according to present arrangements here, be made about the middle of the week.

It is now pretty well established that Major McKinley wants Senator Sherman to be secretary of state, but it is by no means certain that Mr. Sherman has made up his mind to accept a cabinet appoint-ment. His inclination is to remain in the familiar, and where he can regulate the amount and quality of it to a very considerable extent. He feels no strong desire, said one of his friends of long standing vesterable to undertake it is experted. yesterday, to undertake the severe and e acting task of the most important and difficult governmental department, but on the other hand he has long experience as chairman of the committee on foreign rela tions and many of his valued friends are earnestly urging him to close his notable public career by a brilliant administration of the department of state.

Would Make Hanna Senator.

The natural and timely desire of M. A. Hanna to go to the senate may have much to do with Mr. Sherman's appointmen the cabinet, if he accepts a portfolio. Mr. Hanna has been one of Mr. Sherman's most valued friends. He has done a great deal for him in a political way and Mr. Sherman doubtless feels that he owes his last election to the senate in part to the zeal and support of Mr. Hanna. Their relations have been friendly and close for years. If Mr. Sherman does not accept the offer of a cabinet position the way to the senate will remain closed to Mr. Hanna, for he would not contest the seat with his person-

al and political friend.

It is rumored tonight that Senator-elect
Foraker, of Cincinnati, will be invited to
visit Canton while Mr. Sherman is there. Upon the action of Mr. Foraker and his friends the senatorial aspirations of Chairman Hanna depend: Governor Bushnell, of Ohio, will appoint Mr. Sherman's succe for the unexpired term of two years if he goes into the cabinet. He is a devoted friend and ally of Senator-elect Foraker's cancy, for the reason that they belong to factions of the party and have been at odds in a political way for several

Desire To Check Hanna. and Bushnell are thoroughly friendly to Major McKinley and desire to support prestige and power in the Ohio political

No promise or intimation of the course will pursue has been obtained from overnor Bushnell, who is ill with the grip at his home in Springfield. The hellef is current in Ohio that unless Governor Bushnell will consent to appoint Mr. Hanna to the senate, the latter will himsel eccept a cabinet appointment, so the con-erence at Canton this week will involve he probable disposition of two cabinet portfolios, a seat in the United State senate and the future status of Mark

TRAIN STRIKES A MOTOR CAR.

A NUMBER OF PASSENGERS ON LATTER SEVERELY INJURED.

Some of Them May Die-Bad Accident at a Milwaukee Crossing on Saturday Night.

Minneapolis, Minn., January 10 .- A Great Western passenger train ran into a suburban street car last night, injuring a number of passengers, one of whom may die. The injured are:

Miss Helen Austin, student at university, cut about scalp, and badly shocked.

Miss Erickson, injured about the head E. S. Oakley, student at the university, seriously cut about the face and head.

Daniel Johnson, conductor, seriously cut about the head, and badly shaken up W. W. Riadle, professor of mathematics. about the head; probably fracture of the

skull: may die. head and face, right arm fractured; re-

covery uncertain. severe nervous shock.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED OF \$2,000. Thieves Work the Combination and Open the Safe.

Bryn Mawr, Pa., January 10 .- The postoffice, which is located in the railroad station, was robbed last might of \$2,000 in cash and \$75 worth of stamps.

The work was done by some one familrefunding bill may be taken up unless the lar with the office, as the combination was worked and the safe opened in the regu-

> STEEL WORKS START UP TODAY. St. Louis, January 10.1-The Granite City

steel works, on the Illinois side of the river, will resume operations tomorrow, after an idleness of several months, and

will run day and night. Employment will be given to about 500 workmen, and the company claims it has two amendments-one providing that the paid-up capital of the company is \$504,000. | contracts enough to keep the works going | Philadelphia about four years ago.

# DR. RYDER WANTED TO BURN TO DEATH

Sets the Jail on Fire.

Can Do To Revive Him.

Wall of Cell Lined with Blankets and The Late Campaign Is Reviewed and Fired While the Murderer's Bath

Tub Is Filled with Water.

Columbus, Ga., January 10 .- (Special.)ley attended church Sunday morning and Dr. W. L. Ryder, murderer of Miss Sallie Emma Owen, who is confined in Muscogee county tail tried to commit suicide today at 11 o'clock.

He completely lined his cell with blankets and then set fire to his bedding. Jailer Phelps roticed smoke issuing from

Ryder was found lying on the floor in an unconscious condition. With assistance the jailer carried him out, and returning he found Ryder had torn some clothes to pieces and set fire to them and

his bed. He had the water turned on in the bath and as he was wet all over it is presumed he tried to drown himself.

A physician was summoned, as well as his brother, Professor Ryder, and after an hour's hard work, he was restored. It was thought at first that he was too far gone to be saved. He was questioned and said he found a match in his shoe, but claims he did not start the fire and now says he remembers nothing of the affair

Ryder has made repeated attempts at suicide, but each time the jailer has arrived in time to prevent.

Ryder could give no intelligent account of it when asked how the fire started. Today he imagined, so he continually mutters, that he was going to be killed, and early this morning excluded the light from his cell with blankets, as has often been his habit of late. His physical condition tonight is somewhat improved, though he is but a wreck.

RYDER GOES TO SUPREME COURT Judge Butt Signs the Bill of Excep-

tions and Grants a Supersedeas. Columbus, Ga., January 10. (Special.) ed the bill of exceptions.

The attorneys for Dr. Ryder are given fifteen days in which to file the bill in Talbot county court, however. Colonel Thornton states that the bill will be mailed to Talbotton immediately. It will take more time for the clerk of Talbot county court to make the necessary records and draw up the necessary papers, and Colonel Thornton says that the case would before March. The attorneys for the defense are sanguine that the supreme court will reverse the lower courts and grant

When Judge Butt sentenced Dr. Ryder after the motion for a new trfal had been disposed of. Now that the motion for a new trial was refused and the attorneys are carrying the case to the supreme court, it became necessary for the court to pass another order of supesedeas, suspending the execution until after the supreme cour Butt did vesterday.

HE WILL PARDON HIMSELF.

GOVERNOR DRAKE MAY SOON BE COMMITTED FOR CONTEMPT.

Chief Executive Declines To Obey the Mandate of One of His Courts and May Be Arraigned.

Des Moines, Ia., January 10.-Governor Drake must commission John R. Prime as brigadier in command of the first brigade of the Iowa national guard or answer for con tempt of court. In case he is brought up for contempt, the governor's attorney has stated he will pardon himself, and the interesting spectacle will be presented of the executive and judicial departments in direct conflict with each other.

Nearly a year ago Prime was elected by the first brigade as its commander. Adjutant General Wright had befriended James A. Guest, his opponent, and declined to admit Prime's election. He ordered a new election and again Prime won. Then the vote was so canvassed as to throw out a large number of Prime votes. Guest was declared elected and was commissioned. Prime sued for a mandamus to compel the

governor to commission him. The case has been pending several months and yesterday Judge Epurrier decided it. State university, sustained serious injuries He held that Prime was elected, that only personal spite actuated the adjutant and governor in refusing, and the governor M. D. Stevers, motorman, cut about the must commission him. The mandamus will Issue tomorrow. The attorney general represented the governor at the trial. He de-An unknown weman, who refused to give clared the governor's authority as comher name, was slightly injured, but received mander in chief of the guard paramount to the courts and said he would not obey its orders; if committed for contempt he would pardon himself.

The defense will appeal at once and an early hearing is expected. Prime will commence proceeding to oust Guest as commander of the brigade, and some sensational features are expected, as the governor is expected to refuse to obey the court's

CONKLIN BLOWS HIS BRAINS OUT Superintendent of Pinkerton Detective

Agency Commits Suicide. Kansas City, Mo., January 10 .- Thomas C. Conklin, resident superintendent of the Pinkerton detective agency, committed suicide in his office this afternoon by blowing out his brains with a Colt's revolver. No motive is known for the suicide.

He was thirty-five years old, has a wife and three children and came here from

# WASHBURN WRITES TO THE POPULISTS

McKinley To Offer Ohio Senator the Assassin of Miss Sallie Emma Owen Member of National Executive Committee Appeals to Party.

Advises the Believers in His Creed To Keep Solid and Move Forward.

ASSERTS THAT HIS CAUSE WILL PREVAIL

Prediction Is Made That His Party Will Win Out . Easily.

Boston, Mass., January 10 .- George F Washburn, member of the people's party national executive committee and chair man of the western headquarters during the late campaign, has issued the following appeal to the populists of the United States:

"An Appeal to the Populists of the United "An Appeal to the ropulate of the states—We are to be congratulated upon the growth of our party and the fact that in the recent election nearly half the voters of the union indorsed much of our the state of the union indorsed much of our the state of the union indorsed much of our the state of the union indorsed much of our the state of the union indorsed much of our the state of the union indorsed much of our the state of the union indorsed much of the union indopendent indopendent indoor in the union indopendent indopendent indoor indo platform. Our party alone has a voting force larger than that which elected Lin-coln and an able, effective reform press of nearly 2,000 papers. We hold the balance of power in the United States senate and have four times as many congressmen as

united with the silver forces in the recent campaign-not because we believe free coinage of silver is the solution of the inancial problem, but because it would better existing conditions, would meet with the least resistance and become the en tering wedge for our main issue, viz: full legal tender paper money, issued and regulated by the government alone. Hav-ing proved our loyalty at the polls, we are to act separately on advanced lines and to emphasize the real issues our party was born to advocate. We cannot in honor lay down our arms and cease our activity the war for which we enlisted has ended in victory for our cause.

"The democratic party proposes to con-nue the silver fight. Two parties cannot exist on the same issue. The greater absorbs the smaller. Therefore, if we remain mere camp followers of another party, disintegration will result. Our party success alone forced the democrats to adopt the Chicago platform and nominate a popocrat for president. Converts made party regularity cannot be trusted with the reforms of the future.

"We are not democrats, and cannot be classed as such. We simply united for a single campaign. The democrats are but the rear guard of our party. We do not stand upon redemption money, but for a scientific dollar, kept invariable by proper regulation of the money volume.

The millions of converts to silver during the recent campaign must advance. They will not remain where they are. We just educate them up to the main issue and the time to do it is now, not just be-fore a presidential election. We must also old the democratic party to its present position or compel it to advance. "President Cleveland supplies us with

sh incentive for tenewed effort in his official demand for the retirement of greenbacks and the issue and control of paper money (except coin certificates), by banks. Senator Quay says this should be made an issue by the rep vocates the substitution of United States

Who Shall Issue Paper Money? "Here we have a living issue with both wings of the gold forces, which brings our main question to the front-shall the paper money of the country be issued and regulated by the people or by the banks? This will precipitate a hot debate in tongress that will focus public attent relative merits of scientific and redemption money, which will become the absorbing question of the day, just as the silver move-ment followed the silver debate a year ago, and will afford our sentinels in gress an opportunity to measure the true attitude of the silver democrats and republican leaders on an issue vital to our party and the welfare of the country and o determine to what extent our recent al-

lies can be depended upon. "The proposed retirement of the green-backs and the discussion of the Pacific railroad question will bring before congress the two strongest measures of our platform, and whatever issues the other parties may adopt the logic of events will so force upon both congress and the people the consideration of these measures as to overthrow all others and win to our

republican and democratic parties. "Let us act with patriotism, courage and sagacity. Let us lose no time. If any lack incentive, it will be found in the intense suffering everywhere and in the increase ing arrogance, lawlessness and heartless ness of the trusts and monopolies. Against money we match manhood, and urge all populists to continue this contest during the next four years, and hen hold an early national convention to strike the keynote of the presidential campaign, or if

on leading issues. also suggest that a national conference of party leaders and workers be held as soon as practicable, that we may have a full and free expression of o regarding our future work. We therefore, that the reform press will give the fullest possible exposition of their views on this important subject; and our friends are invited to write me or our national chairman expressing their ide the independent party action herein pro-

banner, or continue as stragglers under "GEORGE F. WASHBURN." What Washburn Says.

In commenting upon the appeal, Mr. Washburn gives the following reasons for its publication: believe the silver democrats, silver

republicans and populists, constituting the allied forces, will decide to work separately but on parallel lines during the next four years. In this way each party will gain a momentum which, if combined four years hence, will give an impetus to the campaign which it would lack if the three worked together during all that time. We have other issues of greater importance than the free coinage of silver, though it will remain part of our platform

"Then, again, should other questions oc-cupy public attention or should the repub-licans secure some form of international greement, it will leave the democrats tranded, high and dry, and we do not propose to be caught in such a predicar "Does this proposed action," Mr. burn was asked, "meet with the approval

of the populist leaders?"
"Yes, I have corresponded with leaders in every section of the country and all indorse this idea, including our national chairman. president of the Reform Press Association has written me that organization will meet in Memphis February 22d, and will strongly indorse the plan, and if this | cepted.'

appeal meets with general acceptance. I believe it will be officially indorsed by the national committee. This is not the result of any friction between the two national committees, as they worked in perfect har-mony throughout the campaign and I have only the highest praise for the honesty sincerity and integrity of Senator Jones and his associates. When the silver question was discussed in congress, the populists led the fight in its defense and not only forced the issue upon the country, but compelled the democrats to support it. Now, in like manner, when the discussion of the retirement of the greenbacks and government ownership of the Pacific railroad is precipitated in congress it will inrolve the whole question of government paper money and government ownership of allroads, which will become the absorbing subjects of discussion by congress, the press and the people. It would, therefore, be folly for the populists to try to force the silver issue when the whole country is to discuss another. This move on the part of the populist party is good generalshi and will place it at the head of the colum of reform when the democrats are protecting the rear.

TREATY READY TO BE SIGNED.

ARBITRATION BETWEEN UNITED STATES AND ENGLAND.

Olney and Pauncefote Have Completed Their Labor-Terms of the Document Prepared.

New York, January 11 .- A Washington special to The Journal says that the general arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States has been completed. Secretary of State Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, have been working on the final draft of the treaty for the last five days. The finishing touches were given to it Saturday night

Today Secretary of State Olney will sign the measure and will then transmit it to Tuesday a duplicate copy of this important paper, bearing the official signature of the secretary of state, will be started for England to receive the approval of the British government.

This is purely a perfunctory duty, however, as Lord Salisbury has in advance ratifled for the English government the essentail points contained in the formal treaty He has been cognizant of every step in the preparation of the paper, so that to all sential purposes the treaty will be operative as soon as it is rafifled by the senate of the United States.

The treaty, as drawn and agreed to by Mr. Olney and Ambassador Pauncefote covers these points: 1. It establishes a high court of arbi-

tration. This commission is composed of three members of the supreme court o the United States, to be chosen by the president, and of three members of the to be elected by the prime minister 2. The treaty is to be operative for a period of five years from the date of the exchange of ratifications.

tween the two countries on which differarise during the life of the treaty, with the exception of the Behring sea question and the Venezuelan dispute 4. No dispute involving national honor or sovereignty is to be submitted to the

3. The court of arbitration shall have ex-

clusive furisdiction over all questions be-

arbitration commission. The Alaska boundary and other boundary estions not otherwise disposed of are to be included in the list of questions to be submitted for final arbitration. It is proposed that the tribunal shall also act

as a claims commission now ready for the signature of Secretary Olney is sent to the senate and ratified by that body, the machinery will be set i motion that will send various di boundary questions to the arbitration tribunal for comparatively early settle-

TAYLOR'S WORDS WERE PLAIN.

SPANIARDS DO NOT LIKE HIS

INTERPRETATION Of Olney's Message in Regard to Cuba. The Queen Said To Be Much

Agitated Over It.

New York, January 11.-The Journal's able from Madrid says "A friend of the duke of Tetuan has just revealed the contents of a bold and ex- building on the fourth and fifth floors in traordinary letter addressed to the Spanish government last week by United States

Minister Taylor. "It is said that the queen regent was greatly moved when Taylor's blunt mes- ANCHOR FLOUR MILLS BURNED. age was conveyed to her, and that the government now considers the diplomatic issue with the United States as fully de

"After announcing that Secretary Oley had cabled approval of his condemnaion of sham Porto Rico reforms as worth less and of promises of greater reforms in Cuba as too vague, Minister Taylor wrote in plain terms his individual idea of what Secretary Olney meant when he urged prompt action upon Spain. He said in his letter to the Spanish minister of for eign affairs that unless Spain offered clear and reasonable terms as the basis of peace in Cuba before President Celeveland went out of office, the question of local self government in the island would soon dis appear from American politics, and the "Shall we march to victory under our own only question to remain would be the immediate and unconditional recognition of

the independence of the Cuban republic. "By voluntarily proclaiming her intention grant local self-government and genuin-Spain would strengthen the president in dealing with this opposition and would furnish in these explicit promises a basis upon which honorable pead tween Spain and the insurgent might be established. But Minister pointed out in unmistakable words that the time in which such friendly negotiations might be initiated was very short.

"The present administration at Washington must soon go out of office and if Spain failed to offer before that time such a scheme of real local self-government in Cuba as would commend itself to the new world, then all idea of reforms in Cuba, emanating from Spain, would pass out of view, and only one question wo in America-the independence of the new

The duke of Tetuan says this is the most serious document that has been since the insurrection began. It is not known whether Premier Canovas has decided what reply he will make to this stirring, if not threatening letter. "One of Sagasta's most trusted lieuten-

ants said yesterday that if the liberal party should be returned to power now American mediation would be at once ac-

# FIRE SWEEPS AWAY LIFE AND WEALTH

PRICE FIVE CENTS

String of Fine Racers Cremated at Norfolk Driving Park.

HOSTLER IS FATALLY BURNED

Buffalo Has Two Big Conflagrations, Destroying Over Half Million.

FIREMEN /R: ALMOST SUFFOCATED

Sunday Blazes Make Way with Lumber Yards, Clothing Houses and Flour Mills.

Norfolk, Va., January 10 .- (Special.)-A fire occurred this morning at 3:30 o'clock in the stable at the park of the Norfolk Driving Club and Fair Association, one mile from this city, resulting in the cremation rteen fine race horses and probably the fatal burning of Tony Brown, a colored hostler. In his endeavor to save the horses he narrowly escaped from the burning building with his life. A heavy northwest wind was blowing at the time and this blew the flames away from the other buildings on the grounds.

Among the horses burned was Tiddley-Winks, John Mariner's \$10,000 trotter, one of the fastest horses in the south. Two were fine Kentucky racers owned in Georgia. The loss will foot up at least \$30,000.

The hostler, Brown, was awakened by Tiddley-Winks and in endeavoring to lead the horse out he received terrible burns on the face and back. William Hurett, the colored watchman,

was supposed at first to have perished, but

he was afterwards discovered in the city

and was subsequently arrested on the charge of having fired the stables. President John Mariner says the fire will not interfere with the spring races of the

LARGE LUMBER YARDS BURN. 15,000 PEOPLE WATCH A FIRE FOR NINE HOURS.

Three Firemen Were Overcome by Smoke and \$50,000 Worth of Lumber Is Destroyed.

Buffalo, N. Y., January 10 .- The large lumber yards of Haines & Co. were discovered on fire at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The yards are bounded by Erie and River streets, the Coit slip and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western raffroad tracks. The flames spread quickly and in response to a second alarm all the fire apparatus in the southern section of the city turned out and were re-enforced by the fire tugs Potter and Richardson. Futly 15,000 people gathered to see the confia

While the fire was prevented from spreading further the utmost efforts of the fire department were powerless to entirely subdue the blaze, and up to 1 a. m. the firemen were at work on the

There is \$150,000 worth of lumber in the yard and this is insured for \$120,000. The present loss is estimated at about \$50,000. Three firemen were overcome by smoke and had to be taken to the hosiital.

BUFFALO HAS A \$150,000 FIRE. Five-Story Building, Occupied by a

Clothing Company, Burns. Puffalo, N. Y., January 19 .- Fire broke out in the Richmond block at 6 o'clock this evening and damaged the building and contents to the extent of \$150,900.

The building is a five story structure

ocated at the corner of Seneca and Elliott

streets. It is occupied by the clothing firm f Altman & Co. The retail department is are used to store surplus stocks. Nearly \$260,000 worth of stock was in the building and it was more or less damaged by the fire and water. The insurance on the stock is between \$175,000 and \$180,000.
The building is owned by J. M. Richmond and is fully covered by insurance. fire started in the northeast end

piles of clothing near the elevator shaft but was soon subdued by the firemen. The origin of the fire is a mystery

Minneapolis Has Two Hundred Thousand Dollar Fire. Minneapolis, Minn. January 10.—Fire at 19 o'clock this morning totally destroyed the packing house of the Anchor Flour mill, owned by the Pillsbury-Washburn ny. Loss \$200,000; fully insured struction of the entire mill. The fire wall,

NINE-YEAR-OLD CHILD IS BAKED

Child's Clothing Catches on Fire and She Dies from Burns. Key West Fla., January 10.-The nine-ear-old daughter of George Wilson, of While playing around the stove, ignited, and before the ames were extinguished she was almost

baked. Several neighbors in their attempts to about the face and hands.

TOWNS IN SPAIN INUNDATED. Rainfall Is Heavy and Rivers Are Out of Banks. Madrid, June 9 .- As the result of the

prevailing heavy rains, the river Guadal giver and its tributaries have overflowed their banks and large tracts of country are submerged. The city of Seville is inundated and the destruction of property throughout the flooded district has been very great.

still continues without sign of abatement. HIGH WATER IN THE THAMES. Cellars of the Houses Along the River

The rainfall which has been

Bank Are Flooded. London, January 10.—There is very high vater in the Thames and at several places water in the frames and Reading the river is out of its banks.

The cellars of the houses on the riverside

at Windsor are full of water. Further flooding is certain as the river is rising.

After an Absence of Fifteen Years She Is a Missionary of the National Both Captain Walker and Judge Orr She Says Her Daughter Turned Her from Her Door.

Early marriage which brought repentance with leisure, abandonment, followed by ejectment from home, years of cruel separation and disappointment. Such is the story of Mrs. Lewis Jones, who says she is now a stranger in a strange land. dependent upon the charity of Atlanta for dally food and nightly lodging.

Several weeks ago a story was given wide publication of a woman who lived in Cleveland, O., who had been separated who saw in a vision the body of her son, cold in death. The mother yearned for her boy, and she sought what few friends remained and pleaded with them that she be allowed to attend the funeral of her son, whom she declared to be dead in Indianapolis. She said she knew he was dead, for as she slept, she saw the body wrapped in a winding sheet and recognized the white face as the face of her beloved, son, from whom she had been separated for eighteen years. The mother was Mrs. Jones the same woman who is now in of her daughter, who invited her to make

Yesterday Mrs. Jones called at The Constitution office and told her story of a disappointed life. She was pale and thin, and the deep lines and furrows traced by the hand of suffering and pain stamped the

wan face with sorrow and care. Several weeks ago Mrs. Jones came to Atlanta, she says, upon the invitation of her daughter, who lives on Orme street. It had been fifteen years since mother and child had met, and the first meeting was touching. Now Mrs. Jones says she has been forced to leave her daughter's has been forced to leave her daughter's home, and were it not for the kindness of with pity, she says she would be a beggar upon the streets, without food to eat or

place to sleep.

Mrs. Jones tells the weird story of her life in a straight-forward manner, declar-ing that domestic infelicity has been the onster that has wrought all of her un

The whole trouble has been caused by my husband's sister turning my own chil-dren against me." says Mrs. Jones. "When I was fifteen years old I was married to Mr. Jones, who was at that time ninetee years old. We lived together a long time Four children were horn one hour Four children were born-one boy and three girls. Trouble sprang up in our family, and my husband left me. He took Willie, the only boy, and I kept one of wille, the only boy, and I gept one of the girl. Afterwards he waited to get the girl, too, and I became so acrought up to think that he was going to take her from me too that I poisoned myself and the child. I then became mentally deranged, and was put in the insane asy at Indianapolis, where I remained for on name of the girl-and went with them to Indianapolis from our home in Topeka. Kan., where he had been living.

"For eighteen years I did not see m children. Last September Chief Corner, of Cleveland, O., found the lost children in Indianapolis. I was notified to go at once to the deathbed of my son, who had become a man since I had seen him. He was dying of consumption, and you can im-agine how I felt on seeing him in that condition, and for the first time in eighteen years. He died and I stayed with the daughter, who so cruelly made me leave her house night before last. While stopping with her in Indianapolis she becturned against me through the influence my husband's sister. She treated me like a dog and I left her, going to Cleveland I remained with her only three days, for I could not stand her harsh words and actions toward me.
"For quite a while I did not hear any-

thing of my daughter until about down to Atlanta and live with her. I cam and stopped with her husband, John Snoden. Everything went along pretty well at first, but she soon began her abuse me as she had done in times past. before yesterday I went to the Grady hospital to see the doctor, as I have been suffering with throat trouble and pains in my head. I got back home by 3 o'clock, and was washing the dishes when my daughter entered the kitchen.

"She commenced treating me very roughly. She told her husband that I was

crazy. She told him all sorts of untruth about me, and then when she had put m out of the house, she said besides, tha she cried when she saw me leave her. She threatened to get the officers to put me in the insane asylum. I have been forsaken by all my children and am alone in the world. I am sick and cannot make living. I feet as if I will just have

old lady broke down in tears while she was relating her story. She has been taken into the home of a lady on Harris street, and will stay there until the chief police shall make some disposition to do. Mrs. Jones says that her daughter treated her most cruelly, and finally or-dered her away from her house, at the same time throwing her clothes into th

### THEIR CHILDREN ARE DYING.

PARENTS IN SPAIN NOT SATIS-FIED WITH WEYLER'S WORK.

Sons Sent to Cuba Are Being Carried Off by Disease While Waiting To Fight.

Madrid, January 10 .- The popular im patience with the government because of the failures to suppress the rebellions in Cuba and the Philippine Islands is daily increasing.

Thousands of the young men of Spain have been sent to Cuba, where they have met their death from disease or the hardships of the campaign. Their families be-Heve that they would yet be alive if it were not for the procrastinating policy of promises to put down the insurrection, has apparently accomplished little, while his acclimated troops have been dying by scores of hundreds.

The leaders of both the conservative and liberal parties are distrusted and the present outlook is chaptic. Rumors of change in the ministry are frequently put in circulation, and as frequently denied, but in the present temper of the people the succession of the liberals to power would not banish the distrust which prevails

Preaching at the Station House.

Religious services were held at the station house yesterday afternoon for the first time in many months. Dr. A. E. R. Holderby was the speaker, and his sermon was eloquent and impressive. A large number of policemen were present, and much interest was manifested. These meatings will probably be held regularly hereafter every Sunday afternoon.

Spiritualistic Belief.

Spiritualist Association of America.

The spiritualists of the city held a very interesting meeting last night at the Knights of Pythias hall, corner of Alabama and Forsyth streets, which was conducted by Mrs. Loe F. Prior, who is a missionary from the National Spiritualists Association, and who delivered a lecture to Atlanta to help in the work of the Society of Spiritual Science and her talk last night was a forerunner of a general spiritualist from her children for eighteen years, and revival, which has been inaugurated by the church in this city.

"When Jesus Christ preached the gospe in the holy land, he was denounced by the priests, scribes and pharisees," said Mrs. Prior. "He was looked upon as the author of religious doctrines that were at variance with the teachings of the established church. The priests were bitter in their opposition to him and labored to achieve We spiritualists are contending against the forces that formed so serious a barrier to the progress of the work of Christ. We, too, are denounced by the preachers of the world as being the originators of a belief that is radically wrong and should not be disseminated among the people. We are like the apostles of Christ people. We are like the apostles of Uning-in that we are looked upon as enemies of the doctrines of Christianity as taught by the Protestant and Catholic churches of

"Ours is the belief that gives most comfort and satisfaction and that has for its corner stone the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. Spiritualism is not narrow in its theories of salvation as some of the churches are. A mother had lost a little girl and sought her pastor for consolation. She asked him if she could hope to see her child again. The minister re-plied that she could only hope, as the child had not been sprinkled. The mother could only hope, simply because the child had not been baptised. It is ridiculous to think that this little form of sprinkling could either save or destroy a soul. On one occasion when a certain lady came to me for com fort, saying the minister had told her that she would never see her loved ones in the other world, because they had not been baptised, I pointed out to her what injus-tice on the part of God such a dispensation would indicate, and she adopted our be

"We hold that Christ after his resurred tion simply materialized as spirits som times in our times. Christ is our elde brother in the spirit world and while he lived upon the earth he was man and different not from those around him, save in the unequaled purity of his soul.

"We are going to have a great mass meet-g for three days in March and we shall revive the cause of spiritualism.'
Mrs. Gebouer made a short ta a short talk and a

number of spiritual tests were made.

Mrs. Gebouer was highly interesting in her description of spirits to the audience, performance consisted in the description of spirits by the mediums and the recognition of them by different members of the audi

Mrs. Prior will receive at her presen thome, 2; Houston street, all who are interested in spiritualism and will enlighten them on the subject to the best of her

# MYERS MAKES HIS REPORT.

CAPTAIN OF DAUNTLESS TELLS WHERE HE WENT ON TRIP.

Owner Bisbee Wants To Clear the Tug Again and Authority from Washington Is Awaited.

Jacksonville, Fla., January 10 .- The official report of Captain John W. Myers, of the steamer Dauntless, regarding the last trip of the vessel, was completed vesterday and forwarded by the collector of cus

toms to the secretary of the treasury. In this report, Captain Myers gives a detailed account of the trip. He tells all about finding the men left on Key No Name by the steamer Three Friends, and of taking the men off the key and transferring them to another steamer. As the report shows that the Dauntless was on an errand of mercy rather than filibustering expedition, it is very probable that the ressel will not be libeled for a violation

of the neutrality or navigation laws. W. A. Bisbee, the owner of the vessel. is anxious to secure clearance for the vessel for Nuevitas, Cuba, as he has a con tract to deliver a cargo of arms and am-

munition at that port. orders for the United States dispatch boat Dolphin to accompany the Dauntless whenever that vessel may be granted clearance and leaves this port. The revenue cutter Boutwell went down to the bar early yesterday morning and carried Captain Clober, ommander of the Dolphin, out to his the St. Johns river, and she will not come until the tides begin to run a little

The cruiser Newark is still anchored off the bar. She has been there for nine days, and in that time no attempt has been made by any vessel to carry out an expedition of ny kind. In fact, there is no boat in this port that is available for this work, as the Three Friends is in the hands of the narshal, and the Dauntless is in the custody of an officer of the Boutwell.

The investigation by the Cubans unde the direction of General Nunez and Horatic Rubens of the sinking of the Commod has not been concluded yet, and nothing has been done toward making the result of the investigation public

### MORE OF WEYLER'S BUTCHERY. Spanish Troops Kill Men. Women and

Children. Tampa, Fla., January 10 .- Advices from

Havana via steamer Olivette, tell of re-newed butcheries of Cubans by Spaniards. It is asserted that Thursday night at Gua nabacoa Spanish troops under General Fordeviela killed thirty men, women and chil del Rio Spanish troops are accused o outraging many Cuban girls.

### SOMEILLIAN'S TRIAL IS STILL ON Prosecuting Attorney Closes His

Speech and Court Adjourns. Havana, January 9.- The trial of Louis Someillan, a naturalized American citizen, charged with conspiracy against the Spanish government, was continued at 1 o'clock Official duties prevented Consul General

Lee from being present, but he sent a representative to watch the proceedings in the interest of the accused. The prosecuting attorney concluded with a long speech that was full of Spanish

Tomorrow.

Have Been Obtaining Evidence. Case Will Be Interesting.

The evidence in the contest of the election for justice of the peace, which oc-curred in the 1026th district on the 2d day of January, will be heard tomorrow morning by Justice Foute. The time for the hearing of the evidence was set for this morning.

the contestants. It will be remembered that among the that his friends vote for him. Both before and on the day of the election the friends of the different candidates were busy workstatus of affairs that the race for the office

When the vote was counted on the night of the election it was found that Judge Orr had received 436 votes and that Captain Walker had received 435 votes. It was also found that one man had cast his ballot for J. F. Walker. This vote was claimed by Captain Walker and had it been given him it would have tied the vote, but Judge Orr claimed that the vote was not cast for of the matter and the vote was counted for

J. F. Walker. Captain Walker then announced that he would contest the result of the election. He, through his attorneys, Dorsey, Brewster & Howell, notified the governor that the election would be contested and he also served all of the candidates who had been in the race with a notice of his intentions The election, said the notice, would be contested for several reasons, among others being mismanagement on the part of the managers of the election, who had turned away several people who were legal voters, and who had received several votes that

It was also claimed in the notice that the result of the election should have been de-clared a tie by the managers, but that they had refused to do so, because one man had written the wrong initials of Captain Walker on his ballot. It was also claimed that the managers had closed the polls three minutes, earlier than was required by the law. For all of the reasons, separately and collectively, it was announced that the result of the election would be contested.

Judge Orr has been keeping quiet about the matter and has announced that he was on the defensive in the contest and thereuestion, but it is certain that he has no been idle in the matter, but on the contrary has been working up counter charges, so that he will not be off his guard when the ime for the hearing of the evidence ar

Captain Walker and Judge Orr to hear the testimony. He will have no voice in the settlement of the case, but will only president order that order and regularity may be had in the courtroom while the evidence is being heard. The case is an interesting on and will be watched with interest, not only by the friends of the candidates, but also by the public in general.

### FRANK COXE IN TROUBLE.

HIS WIFE SUES HIM FOR DI-

lotte. They were New York to live in 1882. He had an income of \$1,500 a month, and they lived high. In 1885 Mrs. Coxe went south for a visit and when she came back she found her husband had been living with a woman called Miss Emily Bayard. He said he loved Emily best, and they agreed to separate, he paying her \$200 per month "Later he cut it to \$150 per month. Then she sued for divorce, got alimony of \$400

per month and \$10,000 attorneys' fees "Shortly after this Miss Edith Schofield won his affections, and they were married n 1888. She had him up in Jefferson Market police court in 1894, alleging abandon-ment. He pleaded he could not stand her pace; that she was addicted to the race course, where she was known as the little plunger, and that she went through his monthly allowance so fast that they often had to pawn their jewels. The ordered him to pay her \$8 a week. He refused to take her to his bosom again, an now she is getting even in a suit for di-vorce based on statutory grounds in which Miss Deborah C. Haddock is named as corespondent. The charge has created

sensation in southern circles." Mr. Franklin Coxe, Jr., came to Atlanta during the days of the Cotton exposition and during his stay in the city he occu pied a suite of rooms at the Markham which were luxurious in their appointments and furnishings. He appeared to be man of wealth, and had a number of ele gant turnouts and fast horses.

With Mr. Coxe was his first wife, ne Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Coxe lived in elegant luxury and moved in swe society while here. At frequent intervals they have since visited Atlanta, and the filing of the sensational divorce proceed ings will be noted with interest here.

### CASHIER TAKES HIS OWN LIFE His Accounts Are Correct, but He Was

in Bad Health. Lebanon, Pa., January 10.-James M. Gossler, cashier of the Lebanon National bank, the largest bank in this county, shortly before noon today shot hims through the head and died at 9 o'clock to through the head and died at 3 o'clock to-night. Ill health is supposed to have been the cause of the act. Mr. Gossler was about fifty-four years old and leaves a widow and two children. He had borne an amblemished reputation and his accounts at the bank are entirely correct. For-many years Mr. Gossler was teacher of the largest Sunday school in the state outside of Philadelphia, but lately gave up his class on account of ill health.

### MRS. BAKER CUTS HER THROAT. Suicide of the Wife of a Retired

Merchant.

Trenton, N. J., January 10.-Mary, the wife of William H. Baker, a wealiny retired merchant residing at 296 Bellvue avenue, committed suicide at 5 o'clock this nue, committed suicide at 5 o'clock this morning by cutting her throat with a razor. She committed the deed in the bathroom. Her eleven-year-old son was aroused from his sleep by her meyements and he found his mother weltering in her blood. The physician summoned found that she had severed the fugular vein and the carotid artery. The suicide was forty-four years of age, and as she had been acting strangely of late, the theory a that she was deranged.

# DEATH IN A VISION OF THINGS UNSEEN J. P. CONTEST AHEAD BONDS MERCER OWNS DISCOVERED IN TIME FOUR AUGUSTIANS DIE WILL BE TAKEN BACK

the train.

Finances.

Decrease in Value of Some of the Securities and What Caused It. Will Increase Endowment.

Macon, Ga., January 10.-(Special.)-There has been much interest manifested among the friends of Mercer university rel ative to the finances of the institution. Colonel E. D. Huguenin, treasurer, makes the following statement, which will be read

the evidence was set for this morning, it it was changed by mutual consent of a contestants.

It will be remembered that among the ididates for the office of justice of the ice Judge Edgar H. Orr announced for election and Captain A. J. Walker asked this friends vote for him. Both before the friends were dependent of the contestants.

Solution of the plant of the friends of the contestants of the contestants.

Just prior to the panic the total endowment was \$150,253; the present market value is \$136,618.40; showing a falling off of \$13,618.40; showing statement, which with attention by many: depression was one \$5,000 note, and two \$2,00 notes surrendered to the makers, who lived ing for votes, but it was plainly evident to those who had been keeping up with the liy they were unable to pay them, and had ily they were unable failed in business.

Colonel Huguenin says the university now holds some securities that are of little value, but when they were purchased they were considered good. They were bought over ten years ago. They are Central railroad stock, \$1,400; Central railroad debentures, \$10,500; old contribution notes, \$1,300; mak ing a total of \$13,200.

All of the rest of the fund is invested in the best bonds. Though the rate of inter-

A. J. Walker and, therefore, could not be counted as his. The managers of the election concurred with Judge Orr in his view interest-bearing bonds for real estate loans, says by changing some of these low-rate interest-bearing bonds for real estate loans, which bring 8 per cent, the income could be made larger, but there is some danger of having to take the real estate for debt, or possibly of being drawn into a law suit. The university now has \$29,000 in Georgia 316 per cent bonds. They came into the pos session of the university through a trade for all of the bonds held of the Georgia

> not been disposed of or changed for higher interest-bearing securities.
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> The university owns bonds and buildings in Macon worth at least \$150,000. A handsome chapel was built during the administration of President Nunnally. Colone

Southern and Florida railroad. They have

Huguenin says:
"This is the building about which so much has been said. Some of the securities of the corpus were sold and the money taken to build this structure. At the same time an effort was made to raise \$100,000 for endowment and to replace the money paid for the chapel. A number of friends gave notes, payable annually for five years. Enough money has been collected from these sources to replace the money s and add something to the endowment. "The estimated value of the land and buildings is \$150,000; the present market val ue of the endowment, \$136,618.40. The fund is divded into six funds: Jane Posey, \$11,150 is divded into six funds: Jane Posey, \$11,150; general theological, \$3,864; central professorship, \$20,836; Mercer, \$72,749.50; Gray, \$17,496; new theological, \$16,522.90; total, \$136,618.40. To this will be added the money obtained through the efforts of Rev. H. R. Bernard, which will be called the 'new endowment fund.' We have already in hand in this fund \$1,927.
"During Dr. Nunnally's administration I had given to me for collection \$54,600 of notes for the endowment obtained when the \$100,000 was to be raised some time ago. There were 1,500 notes from parties all over the state, ranging from \$5 to \$500. I

nave collected \$24,298. It has required much correspondence and importuning. I have endeavored not to let the bretiren forget they had given us their notes, and if there are any that have forgotten they have changed their address and I do not know it. I have about \$15,000 in notes yet to collect and hope to realize quite a sum from them, but at this time scarcity of money will cause many of them to ask for time, and some, I fear, will never be able to Now York, January 10.—(Special.)—Franklin Coxe, Jr., who is a member of a wealthy southern family and well known in Atlanta, where he has visited on different occasions, has been sued by his wife for total divorce, and sensational charges are made. This is Coxe's second wife. His first was Miss Alice Williams, of Charlotte. They were married and came to work to the interest of the many Baptists of this state and ask that all of them give something until we raise \$100,000 to add to the endowment. The income from this will be endownent. endowment. The income from this will be enough to make up for the deficiency as it now exists."

The attendance at Mercer this year, in all the collegiate classes, including the preparatory, is 206

Death of Mrs. Small. Mrs. Artie Small, of Macon, dled this morning at 1 o'clock, at the home of her parents, near Cartersville, where she went to spend the holidays. The deceased was formerly Miss Adie Davis and married Mr. Artie Small, a popular and successful young gentleman and business man. several years ago. Mrs. Small went to Cartersville to visit her parents at Christmas and was taken sick. She gradually grew worse until this morning, when she died. Her husband was with her when she was taken sick and remained with her to the end. The funeral services will be held at Cartersville tomorrow. A number of Maconites have gone to Cartersville to attend the funeral. parents, near Cartersville, where she went row. A number of Maconites have to Cartersville to attend the funeral.

### IT'S A VERY WARM TUSSLE. FRIENDS OF BOTH BUTLER AND

PRITCHARD CONFIDENT. Republicans Say Pritchard Populists

Were Not Informed of the Caucus in Time.

Raleigh, N. C., January 10 .- (Special.)hough today was Sunday, there was no batement in the energy of the senatorial light. It is now a duel to the death beween Butler and Pritchard. One or the other must needs be ruined. A leading republican says the republicans and popu-lists had about arranged matters Thursday for a truce and on the following day Butler and Pritchard were got together, but the Pritchard populists did not get notice in time, and so bolted the caucus prematurely. Republicans say positively that the populist party is inevitably disinte-grated, and they will get part of it, but that Butler and one faction will return o the democrats. They charge that But-er has a private understanding that he s beaten and knows it, and that twentyven members of the populist caucus are ready to declare for Pritchard and he can count upon that number. Congress-man Skinner said tonight: "The populist bolters will not return.

Their numbers will be increased to at least twenty-three. You can state this positively. Pritchard wins the fight." A populist state committeeman said that A populist state committeeman said that the bolting faction had made or planned arrangements with the republicans by which they were to divide the state and federal patronage and entirely ignore the Butler populists, or in lieu of this, the bolters were to be allowed to name the senator. He added that in the latter case Skinner would sell out to Pritchard and have himself named as the man.

One of the foremost democrats says he believes the bolters will not return, or if they do, will bolt again upon some pretext which they will conjure up. as they are for Pritchard. Sveral democratic legislators say they now feel sure Pritch ard wins, as they think some populists are for him, caucus or no caucus.

Congressman Shufford said tonight:

"I have all the while felt confident of Pritchard's defeat. I feel confident of I now."

A close friend of Pritchard said But-er's game now is a last effort and is to break the republican ranks by putting up oliver Dockery for seastor. In that case Dockery will get one republican vote, but no more. Republicans say they will never vote for any man Butler names. The bolters say tonight they control the situation. They hold a caucus tomorrow night

Mrs. Jones Declares She Saw Her Son Mrs. Prior Talks Interestingly of the The Evidence Will Be Taken Down Treasurer of the University Talks of Coupling Pin Fastened to a Railroad Grip Causes the Death of Prominent and But They Must Promise To Keep Off Well-Known Citizens.

### SAYS SHE HAS NO FRIENDS GREETED BY A LARGE AUDIENCE JUDGE FOUTE WILL PRESIDE FUND IN SAFE INVESTMENT ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

Posse Hunt for the Would-Be Wrecker-A Child Burned Severely. Eve. Mrs. T. W. Walker and Mr. Gossip of Rome. Wm. Harwell Pass Away.

Rome, Ga., January 10 .- (Special.)-Yesterday at a point about six inites below Rome, on the Alabama division of the Southern railroad, a large coupling pin was discovered fastened on the rail at death list for the past twenty-fe a curve in such a manner as to have thrown the passenger train off the track which grew out of this disease.

Up to this time the belief that the grip had it not been discovered. Spikes were driven in the crosstles on either side to he intention of some miscreant to wreck

Every effort was made to detect the perpetrator of the deed and a posse armed with guns and pistols scoured the woods n the vicinity but without gaining any clew to the identity of the evil doer.

Child Badly Burned. This morning early Mr. Alexander Dougherty, a prominent citizen of Rome, who lives just outside the city limits, came in after a physician and reported that his ittle child had been severely burned. It seems that the httle one got out of

ed and approached the fire, when its skirts came in contact with the flames, and it was severely burned before the fire could be extinguished. Mr. Dougherty was greatly alarmed over its condition, but it is thought the child will recover.

### Alfred Harper Ill.

Mr. Alfred Harper, who has been con-nected with The Rome Commercial for several months and who has made one of the brightest and best papers of north Georgia, has been sick for a couple of weeks and his condition has become such that his physician has ordered him to further south to recuperate and build up his broken health

Summerville Is "Wet." The town of Summerville seems subject periodical inundations, followed by long ntinued droughts in the liquor business. Two years ago the town was wet, when

go dry. A year ago there was a hot contest, but the dry side won in the windup. A day or two ago the annual election came around and the anti prohibitionists carried the day and the town is wet again Parties who moved away from Summer ville when it went dry and brought their stocks of goods to Rome are now move back in order to try it over in Summerville. funeral of William A. Mathis oc-

curred at Mizpeh church today and was largely attended. Mathis was seventy years old and was one of the best known men in this section of the state. He was member of the state troops under General Bishop during the removal of Cherokee Indians from this section in very high in the community. He left

Rome, has been cut off from the remainder of the churches in that work with Rev A. A. Tilly, as pastor, who will devote al his time to the church. The remainder of dale circuit with Rev. John Crow as pas-

### THE MONETARY CONVENTION. INDIANAPOLIS WILL BEGIN TO

WELCOME DELEGATES TODAY.

Sergeant-at-Arms and Police Superintendent Will Provide Sufficient Force To Guard the Hall.

Indianapolis, Ind., January 10 .- The etary convention will open at 2 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon in Tomlinson hall. It is expected to continue three days. The names of 370 delegates to the conven the local execu tive committee and the latter says fully 200 delegates have been chosen by boards of trade and commercial organizations whose names have not been reported and that the representation will be between 500 and 600. The committee rooms in the Denison h tel presented a busy scene yesterday. Over 200 of the prominent business men of the city came to the rooms, said they had been appointed members of the various committees asked where they were to report for work and were supplied with tickets of admission to the hall and with blue badges

bearing the words "reception committee stamped on them in gold.

These committees will begin work early Monday morning, when it is expected that delegates will begin arriving in force. The tickets bear the words "Indianapolis monetary convention, Tuesday, January 12, 1897."

The executive committee is trying to arrange it so that all strangers con town to attend the convention will be taker care of. In response to numerous letters from delegates, the executive committee has engaged rooms at the leading hotels. W. F. Golt, who has been appointed serceant-at-arms for the convention, has ap pinted eleven assistants to guard the do and take care of the sessions. In addition to this Superintendent Colbert, of the po-

lice department, has detailed six policement to guard the place and maintain order.

The chairman of the executive committee will call the meeting to order and will nominate B. O. Stanard, ex-governor of souri, as temporary chairman. Jacob Smith, acting secretary of the committee, will be temporary secretary. It is understood that Evans Woolen will be proposed for permanent secretary. Mr. Stanard will have some remarks to offer and these together with the completion of the organization will consume most of the first session.

### BUBOIS'S CHANCES IMPROVING. Idaho Democrats and Populists Will

Caucus Separately.

Boies, Ida., January 10.—The democrats and populists have determined to caucus separately and there is little prospect at present of the breach between them being patched up.

The Dubois men are sanguine and all indications point strongly to their success.

The democrats have absolutely refused to support Claggett, populist, and some of his own party have gone back on him, so

that he is considered practically out of the Johnson is urged by the democrats but wonson is urged by the democrats but only a few of the populists are satisfied with him and it looks very unlikely that the democrats and populists can agree upon any candidate.

Neither Angell nor Cooper, populists, can command even the full support of their own party, all of which goes to improve the chances of Dubois.

### PARDONS WITHOUT SAYING WHY Governor Altgeld Commutes Sentence

of Murderer Blackman.

Springfield, Ill., January 10.—Governor Altgeld yesterday pardoned Joseph F. Blackman, a Chicago murderer, by commuting his sentence of fourteen years' imprisonment in Joilet to five years, which The petition for executive elemency was signed by a large number of citizens, who claimed to believe the ends of justice would be best served by Backman's release.

The governor gives no reason for his act.

In at 138 pounds.

O'Neal is in training at College Point, I

Judge Montgomery, Mr. Archibald

Augusta, Ga., January 10 .- (Special.) --Judge William Watts Montgomery, Mr. Archibald Eve, Mrs. Thomas W. Walker and Mr. William Harwell constitute Augusta's resulting from orin or faral complications

seldom kills has caused the community to But the fact that it frequently paves the way to fatal complications is making it more serious matter.

Judge Montgomery's fatal illness began

with grip, and three other deaths followed day from illness beginning in the same

Judge Montgomery's funeral this eyen ing was largely attended. The chapel, which is now used by the congregation of the Church of the Good Shepherd since the burning of that church, was unable t hold the crowd. Rector Davidson was as sisted by Dr. Chauncey Williams and Dr. Pinkerton in the funeral services, and the floral tributes were numerous and hand-

Judge Montgomery as lawyer, solicitor general and judge of the supreme cour won prominence in the legal profession, and his circumspect life, high character and fine attainments made him prominent in the state and national councils of the Episcopal church.

senter wardens from the vestry of he Church of the Good Shepherd acted as honorary pallbearers, together with repre-sentative members of the bar.

Was Only Twenty-Five. Mr. Archibald Eve, like Judge Montgor ery, has been hovering between life and death for a week past. He died at 2 o'clock oday of acute gastritis, a complication of

the grip. He was a son of Dr. Sterling C. Eve. a nephew of Judge W. F. Eve and a grand son of the late Dr. Joseph A. Eve, one o the leading physicians of Georgia for the Mr. Archibald Eve was a popular young druggist of the firm of Fargo & Eve, and had just passed his twenty-fifth birthday.

Wife of a Minister. Mrs. Thomas W. Walker was the wife of he pastor of Kollock Street Baptist church. She had been an invalid for two years, but her death resulted from a recent attack of grip. She was forty years old.

William Harwell was a popular roung man, residing in the milling district and employed at the Sibley cotton mills Homer Burton, Americus, Ga.

Americus, Ga., January 10.-(Special.)-Iomer Burton, son of Hon, Robert Bur on, of Schley county, an ex-confederate oldier, and for twenty years a residen G. H. Rattenbury, Huntsville, Ala.

Huntsville, Ala., January 10.—(Special. J. H. Rattenbury, aged seventy-eight, native of Gloucester, England, died las night at the Huntsville hotel after at illness of several weeks. The remains wil be shipped to relatives in West Toledo, O J. K. Miller, Huntsville, Ala. Huntsville, Ala., January 10.—(Special.)-J. K. Miller, aged thirty-six years, prominent cotton merchant, died at his

# prominent cotton merchant, died at his home in this city from a complication of diseases. He leaves three motherless children. Mrs. Miller died last Wednesday, Mr. Miller was a Knight of Pythias. In business he was a member of the firm of Landman & Co. SERMON DREW A LARGE CROWD.

Dr. Lansing Burrows Takes Jekyll and Hyde as a Text. Augusta, Ga., January 10.—Dr. Lan-sing Burrows filled the First Baptist church tonight with the published announcement that his theme would be Dr. Jekyll and Mr. delivered by Dr. Nourse before the Lyceum. last Monday night. It made a deep impres-

ion and has been a leading topic of disussion ever since. The announcement that Dr. Burrows would follow the lecture with a sermon on the same subject made his church the center of attraction tonight. Dr. Nourse treated the story in his lecture as a parable and declared there was a Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde struggling for supremacy in every person-that during life both of the characters are in the men, but when he comes to die it is either Dr. Jekyll or Mr. Hyde-whichever has dominated in the man's life-that it then possesses his soul

and meets the final judgment. Dr. Burrows took up the subject tonight where the lecturer left off, and declared it was by taking Christ into a man's life that the Mr. Hyde could be driven out and Dr.

### Jekyll win the victory. SEN. SQUIRE WANTS IT AGAIN. Washington Legislature Will Soon

Have an Election On. Seattle, Wash., January 10.—The state leg-islature, which assembles tomorrow at Olympia, will chose a successor to United States Senator Watson C. Squire. Indications point to a bitter contest

Judge George Turner, of Spokane, free silver republican; Richard Winser, of Se-attle, populist, and Senator Squire, free silrepublican, are leading candidates, e several dark horses are being The legislature stands on joint ballot-15 silver republicans, 15 democrats, 56 populists and 25 republicans, with one contest be-tween a populist and straight republican. The legislature which elected John L.

### n joint ballot 78 republicans, 24 populists THEY FOUGHT AT CHURCH DOOR

Wilson to the senate two years ago stood

Roman Catholics and Orthodox Greek Churchmen Disagree. Constantinople, January 16.—Official advices received here from Jerusalem show that there has been further trouble among the worshipers at the church of the Holy

It appears that the Roman Catholics were opposed to members of the orthodox. Greek church entering the church by a certain door on the evening of January 6th, the day observed by the orthodox church as Christmas.
The latter insisted upon their right to enter, and the result was that the two factions became involved in a serious fight, which did not end until the Turkish au-thorities intervened to restore order.

### ed, but it is not known whether any-TWO WELTER WEIGHTS TO MEET

Some of the combatants were badly in

Negro O'Neal Is To Go Up Against Tommy Tracy for a Purse. Chicago, January 10.—Frank O'Neal, the colored light welter-weight boxe.; has been matched to meet Tommy Tracy in a twenv-round contest

The match is for \$1,000 a side and the best purse offered. The men are to weigh in at 138 pounds. O'Neal is in training at College Point, L.

# Lucy Cobb Grounds.

BOWER AND BLACK FORGIVEN

Their Little Fun Cost Them Dearly, but Taught Them a Lesson-Atlanta Girls on Honor Roll

Athens, Ga., January 10 .- (Special.)-One week covered a story in the lives of Gor-don Bower, of Bainbridge, and Seweil Black, of Atlanta, two university boys were walking by Lucy Cobb institute and hearing the young ladies rehearsing a play in Seney-Stovall chapel, decided to ave a little fun. They went to the door met by teachers very unexpectedly next day they were tried by Mayor Mc-Mahan and fined \$10 each for the of-

fense. Chancellor Boggs followed this up with an order suspending the young men from the University of Georgia. They went to Mrs. Lipscomb, principal of Lucy Cobb institute, and expressed their regret at the

Tomorrow they will return to the untversity, and with a pledge of keeping away from the Lucy Cobb grounds in the uture will be admitted again to the u having made satisfactory amends to the parties affronted by their conduct Messrs. Bower and Black throughout all the affair have maintained that they were nnocent of any motive save that of pure

Athletic Officers Chosen.

The officers of the University Athletic Association for 1897 were elected yesterday evening by the athletic council. They were as follows: President, Walter S. Cathran, of Rome; vice president, James Dougherty, of Atlanta; secretary, C. A. Weddington, of tlanta: treasurer, Henry Dodd, of Ford. Mr. Cothran, the newly-elected presilent, is a member of the senior class, and one of the best students in it. He, along with Fred Morris, holds the 'Varsity record for a 100-yard dash-10 1-5 seconds. He was manager of last year's football team and

ociation will do well.

The honor roll of Lucy Cobb institute
or the month of December shows that the Atlanta girls are doing well at that splen-did institution. Miss Jessie Reid leads the did institution. Miss Jessie Reid leads the senior class (Latin section), and Miss Lucila Abbott leads the junior class (English ection).

Newsy Notes.

Mrs. Charles M. Strahan gave a lunch Ars. Charles M. Standar gave a more con yesterday compilmentary to her guest, Miss Axson. of Savannah. Ga. Miss Nickers, of Washington. Ga., and Miss Eugenia Barnes, of LaGrange, Ga., are among the new pupils at Lucy Cobb. Mrs. C. A. Scudder has returned homofrom a visit to her parents, Major and Mrs. W. A. Williams, of Waynesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rowland are back from a visit to relatives in Waynesboro. rom a visit to relatives in Wavneshoro. Mr. H. A. Cook, of Harlem, Ga., is visit-ne his daughter, Mrs. D. P. Haselton, of he Misses Hauserd have returned from wisit to Columbus.

Mrs. Charles H. Hertz, who has been ill for some time, has nearly recovered.

### COLD WEATHER HURRIES THEM. Wealthy Northern People Arriving at

Jekyl Island. Brunswick, Ga., January 10.—(Special.)— juests of Jekyl island continue to arrive. not open regularly for their reception until

The cold weather has started the wealthy northerners south at an earlier date than usual, and Jekyl will catch more than her Gordon McKay and party, f rt. arrived yesterday, and J. share. Newport, arrived yesterday, and J. R. Roosevelt, of New York. McKay's party is composed of Mrs. Butes, Mrs. Jungen, Miss Pierce, Mr. Moore and Mr. McKay. They will remain several weeks. Cornelius Vanderbilt and bride will be down in February. This young man is not a member of the club, although the Vanderbilts are represented in the club membership, and their influence is con-siderable. Personally Cornelius has many friends among the members, and he has

### the non-appearance of the Vanderbilts to greet him at the steamship's landing, will make him of especial interest to Jekyl islanders. CHINAMAN WON'T PAY POLL TAX

any quantity of invitations to spend the

winter on Jekyl. His recent marriage and incident connected therewith, together with his more recent return from abroad, and

Columbus Laundryman Enjoins Marshal's Fi. Fa. Columbus, Ga., January 10.—(Special.)— Harry Lee, a Chinaman here, has gone into the testing business, and now pro-poses to see if an unnaturalized subject an be forced to pay poll tax. He has

epresent him. Dave Andrews, the county tax collector, nt Lee a dun for his poll tax. When the bill was presented Harry Lee, that celes-tial declined to meet it. The entire amount was \$2.40, \$2 of which was for the poll tax. Mr. Andrews immediately issued an execution against Lee. Even that did not convince Lee, and he consulted his attorneys. The laundryman applied for an infunction restraining the levying of the ex-ecution. The petition set forth that he is a citizen of China instead of the United States, and that he doesn't owe the poll tax. Inasmuch as Lee hash't been naturalized, he doesn't care to pay for a privilege which he doesn't enjoy. Judge Butt, in answer to the petition, granted

### CHARGE AGAINST AN OFFICER. Said To Be a Deserter from the Confederate Army.

Savannah, Ga., January 10.—(Special.)— There has been much talk in military cirles about the rumored investigation into the record of the commissioned officers of the First regiment cavalry, Georgia vol-unteers. Military, men who have been inquiring into the matter say that an offi-cer of one of the troops has been discov-ered to have been a deserter from the confederate army during the war, and that the investigation is into this report with regard to his record. Of course, the officers in charge of the regiment would not want a man with such a record hel-ing a commission under their command should it be proven to be a fact. The officers of the regiment are silent with regard to the matter, though they do not deny that an investigation is being made. Military men think that the party in question may be allowed to resign, in which event nothing public would likely come of the matter until an election of a new officer was called.

### NEBRASKA ELECTORS ORGANIZE. It Is Said That Watson Will Get Six

and Sewall Two. Lincoln, Neb., January 16.—Nebraska's eight presidential electors, selected on the Bryan and Sewall-Watson fusion ticket, met yesterday at the state capitol and organized by electing a chairman and secre-

The formal vote of the electors for present and vice president will be cast morrow.

It is reported that instead of being four and four for Watson and Sewall as agreed upon, there will be six for Watson and two for Sewall.

## IRON AND LEAD ORES

Metals and Manufacturers Thereof Have Their Inning.

WANT THE M'KINLEY RATES

Galena Ore Is Said Only To Await a Higher Tariff.

PIG AND OTHER IRONS

Speakers Declare a Protection Neces sary to the Re-opening of Some Furnaces Now Closed.

Washington, January 10.-The hearing before the ways and means committee yes terday was devoted to iron and lead ores, metals and manufacturers thereof.

Representative Draper, of Massachusetts, on behalf of the manufacturers of machinery in New England, presented, without comment, their request for a restoration of the McKinley rates of duty on their

W. H. Alexander, of Omaha, Neb., suggested the following modification of the present paragraph in the law relating to lead ores: "All ores of which lead is a component part shall be dutlable at the rate of three-quarters of a cent per pound on the lead contained therein."

John D. Davis, of California, said there were immense bodies of galena ore in San Bernardino county, California, awaiting development. The industry had been started under the McKinley law, but had been forced to suspend under the present law. Thousands of tons of this ore had been taken from the mines and placed on the dumps ready for delivery, and if protection was given these mines would again be worked. He advocated a duty of 1 cent per

pound on lead ores.

D. A. Jones, of New York, representing the St. Joseph (Missouri) Smelting Company, appealed for a duty on lead ores which would preserve the industry in this

which would preserve the industry in this country.

Representative Hermann, of Oregon, appealed for a duty of 10 cents per pound upon nickel in order to allow the development of our nickel mines. Up to 1891 it was thought that there was no nickel mines in the United States of any value. Since then valuable mines had been discovered in North uable mines had been discovered in North Carolina, Washington, Nevada and Ore-gon. The nickel now used in the United States, especially in the manufacture of armor, was being imported from Canada. The ores here were very rich and could be produced for 4 cents per pound cheaper

The Duty on Pig Iron.

The duty on pig iron under the present law was claimed by some to be a sufficient protection because very little foreign pig iron was now imported, and some few thousand tons out of the millions made

had recently been exported.

These two claims might be considered together and answered by the simple statement that the market was at present ab-normal. Foreign pig iron was abnormally high abroad and domestic pig iron abnor-

William A. Ingham, of Philadelphia, in behalf of the Eastern Pig Iron Association asked for the restoration of the McKinley

rates of duty on pig iron.
In the Lehigh valley and New Jersey districts, the Hudson river district, including the Lake Champlain plants, the Schuyl-kill river district, including the Lebanon and East Pennsylvania valleys, the Susquehanna river district and the Juniata river district, there were 104 furnace stacks, of these twenty-two were running and eighty-two idle.

Some of these idle furnaces would never start again without reorganization, which means practically an absolute loss to the original stockholders, and that the bondholders will have to take the property and

The history of the Virginia and the West

As the present capacity of the furnaces in the United States was largely in excess of the probable demands of the market for some years to come, there was no | go danger of the prices rising to an unreasonable limit by virtue of the restoration of the duty named in the McKinley bill.

The putting of idle furnaces in blast would, by competition, protect the con-They further ask for a revision of the duties on bar iron, black sheets and tin plate, and that cotton ties and fence wire be subjected to the same rates as oth-

They ask this because it is for our inter est that our customers, the makers of ba iron, black sheets, tin plate, fence wire and cotton tires, should be protected. And further, because a duty depending on the purpose for which an article was intended to open the door to outrageous frauds or

Want the McKinley Tariff. They request the committee to adopt as

basis for the new tariff the so

C. Thropp. of Everett, Pa., thought the present duty on pig iron was adequate now, but if a fair market and fair prices should prevail it would attract the foreign product, and then the duty would not be sufficient. Competition would keep the prices here at a normal figure and protect

Cronemeyer, of Pittsburg, a representative of the tin plate industry, asked for an increase of from one-eighth to onehalf cent on various grades and a new clause to cover plates below No. 32 wire gauge, which were now manufactured here and needed protection.

The committee adjoudned until tomcords which will be the last day of the hearings Various schedules, including sundries and the free list, will be taken up.

### CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT. Lawyer Accused of Robbing His Partners and Clients.

Fort Scott, Kas., January 10.—Judge John M. McDonald, a prominent attorney of this city, and a leading Kansas populist, being an ex-member of the board of pardons under Governor Lewellyn, is charged by his partners, Judges McCleverty and Hill, with embezzling \$7.000 to \$8.000 belonging to the firm and poor clients in Crawford county. This money he is said to have severed. This money he is said to have secured from the Pittsburg Coal and Mining Com-pany as a compromise for a number of damage suits brought by the survivors of

the twenty-nine miners who lost their lives in the terrible mine explosion at Frontenac, Kas., in 1888. Judge McDonald, then a resident of Judge McDonaid, then a resident of Parsons, was among the first on the ground and induced the relatives of the fead men to place their cases in his hands. Afterwards they were compromised, but it is alleged the money was never paid the clients or to his partners.

Suit was instituted against him by his partners yesterday and they also state they will prosecute him for embezzlement.

### THEY HELD UP A STOREKEEPER Robbed His Safe and Then Eurned

His Store. Guthrie, Okla., January 10 .- Masked bandits held up Dr. Partridge and his clerks at his general store, twenty miles east of here, robbed the safe of \$1,000 and then set fire to the store, burning up \$0,000 worth

# New Paper In One Week More.

the streets of Atlanta. After seven more days the newspaper will blossom forth and every arrangement is being made for the event booked for next Monday afternoon, January 18th

The Evening Constitution will be all that can be expected of a bright, newsy afternoon publication. The paper is being planned on metropolitan standards and It will be sold at metropolitan prices. For 2 cents you can purchase the paper from newsboys and you can have the paper delivered at your home for 10 cents a

The announcement that the evening edition of The Constitution would make its appearance was in itself a great surprise to the general public, but when the announcement came yesterday that the street price of the paper will be only 2 cents, the people were taken by complete surprise. For the first time in Atlanta journalism the people will be able to buy a strictly first-class, up-to-date eight-page newsy afternoon paper for 2 cents. Metropolitan prices and metropolitan ideas will be the rule.

The people want a good popular-price paper and in The Evening Constitution they will get it. It will contain features unequaled by any southern afternoon paper and the people are certain to quickly appreciate the style, features, policy and typographical appearance of the edition

The lists of subscribers already received indicate the wide interest being taken in the new paper, and it has been found necessary to increase the number of Atlanta carriers far above the number originally intended. In order to properdivide the city into routes so that everybody can be sure of getting a copy the paper, it has been found necessary to more than double the number of boys originally engaged, and today the youngsters will report at The Constitution office and receive instructions as to their routes. The number of applicants is sufficient to meet the demands and all boys who want to carry The Evening Constitution and make money easier than before must report at The Constitution building today. Mr. T. J. Kelly and Mr. Peter Erwin, of The Constitution staff, will look afer the boys and the best delivery system ever inaugurated in Atlanta will be arranged, insuring the public certain receipt of their papers. Every boy will be thoroughly drilled and when the carriers start on their rounds next Monday afternoon they will carry thousands of papers, scattering them broadcast throughout the city and suburbs.

The Evening Constitution will begin almost with the new year, and it proposes to grow up and keep pace with the march of progress. And not only thatit proposes to set the pace for Atlanta and southern afternoon journalism. The field is large enough for another paper and it has already been shown that The Evening Constitution will meet with a hearty welcome by the people of Atlanta. What the people want is news, briefly and interestingly told, and they will get it in The Evening Constitution. Every happening of interest, not only in Atlanta but in every Georgia city, will be told of and the people will find information which will be of interest, not only to Atlantians, but to the people of cities near Atlanta. The splendid telegraphic facilities of The Constitution are unsurpassed and the doings of people everywhere will be recorded.

The citizens of all towns within a radius of 100 miles will be able to get The Evening Constitution on the date of publication, except on one or two of the rail-roads, and hundreds of subscribers have ordered the paper sent to them in other places. The evening edition will be delivered at places along the Western and Atlantic, the Southern, the Georgia, the Atlanta and West Point, the Central, the Seaboard Air-Line, and, in fact, all lines, before dark every evening, and some of the towns will get the paper almost as soon as Atlanta subscribers. The reo ple of Marletta, Kingston and Rome, and towns between the latter city and Atlanta, can get the evening paper in time to read it before supper, and the mail edition will be put on sale in Macon about 7 o'clock. All of the towns along the Southern and Central roads between Atlanta and Macon enjoy the convenient afternoon schedules, and The Evening Constitution will reach them between 4

The merchants and advertisers are taking advantage of the splendid opportunity to get their "ads" before the people and applications for space in the new afternoon paper are pouring in. If all the advertising space already asked for should be granted, nearly the entire eight pages of the evening edition would be taken up with "ads," but to protect the interests of the news departments and to fairly distribute the limited advertising space among the merchants and business men, it has been decided to dispose of the space under the rule that no firm or person shall be allowed more than one column for the first issue. No extra space will, in any case, be sold and the limit of one column to each advertiser will be strictly observed.

The circulation of the new paper threatens to assume proportions unexpected for several weeks after the appearance of the paper, and advertisers who fall to get space in the evening edition will make a mistake. The paper will go into nearly every home in Atlanta and vicinity, and it will be read by everybody. The watchful advertisers realize this fact and they have swamped The Constitution office with applications for space. Only by enforcing the rule can all merchants and business men have the same opportunity to get space in the new

### MAMMOTH BANKING CONCERN. GOOD NEWS FOR THE TEACHERS. Illinois Company Pays a Fee of \$5,275 | Treasurer of Alabama Will Send Them

for Incorporation. Chicago, January 10.—Articles of incorpo-ation were secured yesterday at the state uditor's office at Springfield for what is esigned to be the largest banking insti-

ution west of New York city.
The concern is styled the General Trust
Company of Illinois and its capital is
lamed at \$5.000,000. The incorporation fee of \$5.275 is the largest ever paid into the state treasury under the new incorporation

The incorporators named are n the office of the law firm of Goodrich, Vincent & Bradley. Ex-Judge William A. Vincent declined last evening to shed any light on the big corporation beyond stating that it was a bona fide enterprise and that it was intended to be a mammoth affair.

"I am sorry that the news of this has got out," said Mr. Vincent, "as the gen-

tlemen who are back of the enterprise ar not ready to make their plans public. How ever. I can state that the institution is genuine. The mere fact of such a large capitalization fee being paid in cash is evidence of the soundness of the company. Articles of incorporation state that it is designed to carry on a general banking business under the laws of the state of

### FUNDING BILL TO BE DEFEATED. House Will Attend Pacific Railroads

Today and Appropriations Later.

Washington, January 10.—Voting upon th Pacific railroad funding bill and amendments will occupy the house tomorrow. The vote is likely to be close, but it is believed the bill will be defeated.

For the remainder of the week, appropriation bills will probably have the right of way. The managers of the house are of way. The managers of the massive imposing ad-ditional charges either upon the credit or the revenues of the government shall

receive consideration at this session if they can prevent it.

The Nicaraguan canal bill and several other propositions involving financial responsibilities may therefore be considered dead so far as this congress is concerned.
On Saturday afternoon the house will constructively listen to eulogies upon the late ex-Speaker Crisp, of Georgia.

YARDMAN SCHARGE IS KILLED. Railroad Man Falls Under Train and

Is Ground to Death. Charleston, S. C., January 10.—George H. Scharge, a yardman on the South Car-olina and Georgia railroad, fell from a moving freight train near the depot here his morning and was crushed by the

He lived only a few hours after the accident, Scharge was about forty-five years of age.

### TRANSPORT NUBIA DISINFECTED Boat with Cholera on Board Has An-

Plymouth, January 10.—The transport Nubla, which arrived here from Calcutta with cholera on board, has been disin-fected. Another death occurred on board her

this morning.

The men who are suffering from the disease in a mild form have been removed to the hospital ship.

### TENNESSEE TROOPS GET ORDERS But They Do Not Know for What Pur-

pose They Are Wanted. Chattanooga, Tenn., January 10 .- (Spe cial.)—There was great commotion among the young soldiers of companies I and L. Second battalion, National Guard State of Tennessee, here tonight over orders received by Major J. P. Fyffe to have these two companies ready to move at a moment's notice. As a consequence, a detail of both companies is on guard at the armory tonight awaiting orders. No information could be obtained as to where the trouble was, but it was currently reported that it was at Trace City, where the miners have been on a strike for two weeks past. Major Fyffe could give out nothing for publishing, and the boys know nothing of where they are expected to go. cial.)-There was great commotion among

Their Money. Montgomery, Ala., January 10 .- (Special.) State Treasurer George W. Ellis authorizes the statement today that he will begin on next Wednesday sending out the school money which was due on the 1st day of January. He says it will require several days to distribute it all, probably until Saturday, the 16th. This will be good news to the teachers, as they had made con-

tracts expecting to be paid on the 1st.

The agricultural school authorized to be established in the fifth district upon certain conditions being complied with has opened up a hot contest between several enterprising towns in the district. Yes-terday in the governor's office three bids were opened and made public as follows: Alexander City offers one 'school lot, building and eighty acres of land, and \$2,900 in money. Wetumpka, one school building and two-acre lot valued at \$3,500; eighty acres of land valed at \$2,800, and 2,500 in money. Dadeville, one school lot and college building, valued at \$7,900; furninure, \$500; eighty-six acres of land, valued

at \$1,500, and \$5,000 in money.

It is now a free-for-all race between these three towns, and as many others as may desire to enter for the location of the district agricultural school. The bids may be increased at any time, or with-drawn, until the board of commissioners meet to take up the matter for final set-tlement. The board of commissioners con-sists of Governor Jonhston, Commissioner of Agriculture I. F. Culver and Superintendent of Education Turner, who will take the matter up for settlement and decide whose bid is the lest. The decision will not be made, however, for sixty days allowing all parties ample time to get in

The supreme court adjourned until Mon day, having finished the call of the case from the seventh division. The fourth from the seventh division. The fourth division, composed of the counties of Bar-Bullock. Coffee, Covington, shaw. Dale, Geneva, Henry and Pike, will be taken up on Monday, the 11th.

### WILL PREACH ON POOLROOMS. Birmingham Minister Wants To Agitate the Question. Birmingham, Ala., January 10 .- (Special.

On next Sunday morning all the preachers in Birmingham, both white and black, will mention in their sermons something concerning pool selling or book making on horse races run in or out of the state. The Ministers' Association in Birming ham and all over Alabama is fighting the poolrooms, and has a bill now pending in the legislature forbidding pool selling or book making in the state. Lately but little has been heard about the bill, and for fear that the sentiment against it

for fear that the sentiment against it may die out, the preachers intend pursuing a hot fight.

There are two poolrooms in Birmingham. The city council fixed a license for pool selling here at \$1,000 per annum, but this did not hurt them, seemingly.

There are two "bucket shops" running here now, and another one will be established soon. These, also, are heavily taxed by the city.

### COULDN'T STAND BY CLEVELAND Editor Morgan, of Alabama, Talks of President's Letter.

Birmingham, Ala., January 10.—(Special.) Hon. Philander Morgan, brother of United States Senator John T. Morgan, of this state, is in Birmingham working in the

states in Birmingham working in the interest of his paper. The People's Tribune, published here weekly.

When questioned about the democratic meetings at Chicago during the past week in their bearing upon the state politics, he replied that Alabama never had and would not soon develop any permanent political party strong enough fo possess the state government that would sympathize with the Cleveland view is expressed in the president's letter.

He thinks Bryan is the coming man, and that no party can carry Alabama against Bryan's theories. He does not think the rank and file of the populist party and the Johnston wing of the democracy in Alabama will differ materially on the financial question in 1898.

Mr. Morgan is quite a statesman, and resembles in many things his widely known brother. He purchased The People's Tribune from Captain Reuben F, Kolb and

# THREE CONTESTS ON

Trio of Alabama Representatives Eager for Congressional Seats.

WANT TO OVERRIDE VOTERS

Democrats Who Were Elected Are Be ing Pestered by Defeated Men.

EVIDENCE WILL BE TAKEN TODAY Aldrich Wants To Oust Plowman,

Hundley Is After Wheeler and Crowe Troubles Underwood. Birmingham, Ala., January 10.-(Special.) n three Alabama districts taking of evi-

dence will commence tomorrow by contestants for seats in the next congress The contestants are: W. F. Aldrich, republican-populist, in the fourth, seeking to oust T. S. Plowman, who received the certificate of election, Oscar Hundley, republican, in the eighth seeking to oust Joseph Wheeler; and G. B. Crowe, populist, in the ninth, seeking to oust Oscar W. Underwood, who received

the certificate on the returns. There will be some sensational features in all the districts. Service has been served and accepted in the districts named and the evidence will be voluminous in all William Vaughan, chairman of the state republican executive committee, left here oday for Selma, where he goes to prosecut today for Selma, where he goes to prosecute the taking of evidence for W. F. Aldrich. The latter has created a sensation by re-questing of the chief of police of Selma protection during the taking of evidence. Plowman has made some very sensational charges against Aldrich, and threatens to make others when the congressional committee takes hold of the case.

In the eighth district, Hundley will make come startling charges against Joe Wheeler, and will present a strong case. Hundev is state senator from Madison county and he has only been classed with the re-publicans since the controversy on the noney question came up. Crowe will begin taking evidence in three out of the five counties in the ninth district at one time. The charges will be

sensational inasmuch as not only gross frauds are alleged, but personal intimida-All the contestants have strong republi-can attorneys behind their cases, and will push them to a finish.

### COMMENT ON DRENNEN CASE. Some Alabama Lawyers Differ with the Supreme Court Judges.

Montgomery, Ala., January 10 .- (Special. The recent decision of the supreme court of Alabama in the Drennen case is oc-asicning considerable comment in Alapama now. A majority of the lawyers appear to differ with the court's construction of the law, but the people generally agree that the decision has a strong foundation equity to support it.

The effect of the ruling is to give laborers or employes, or those who furnish material to assist in keeping a concern in operation, a prior lien for what is due them over the holders of recorded bonds or mortgages on the property of the concern. To illus trate the proposition, if a newspaper with, say \$20,000 of bonds in it, should fail, every cent due the editors, reporters, printers, etc., for six months beforehand, every paper and ink house—in fact, in this instance, practically every creditor—would have to be paid in full before the bondholders could collect a cent, notwithstanding the fact that the mortgage was our record and the employe or material man was in possession of legal notice of it at the time

that he went to work.

The lawyers insist that the construction of the law is unfair; that while it is right that every protection should be given the laborer, it is improper that he should be paid out of the property of the first mort-

Another instance cited of the injustice Another instance cited of the injustice the law will work is that the owner of a property is made responsible for the debts of the lessee. If, for an example, a man owns a coal mine and leases it to a correction he is held respectively. oration, he is held responsible for all the payrolls and all of the expenses of running the concern and his mine may be old for the debts of the lessee

A bill has been introduced into the leg slature proposing the enactment of a law directly in line with this decision. The will be no occasion for its passage now, however. Had the bill passed, it could not ander any conditions have been made to roactive, but the supreme court's decisio s an interpretation of the law as it exists and applies to past as well as present conditions. The chances are, therefore, that the decision will develop an abundance of litigation.

### CAPTAIN HENDERSON RESIGNS. Woodstock Guards, of Alabama Mili

tia. Without a Commander. Montgomery, Ala., January 10.—(Special.) Captain Archibald Henderson, of Annison, has forwarded to Governor Johnston his resignation as captain of the Wood stock Guards. He has served the com pany as commander for more than two years, but the demands of his busines

prompt him to resign and Governor John-sten will probably accept his resigna-It is understood that Mr. H. L. Cater first lieutenant of the company, will be promoted to the captaincy.

### ALABAMA'S BIG WOOL GROWTH More Than a Quarter of Million Sheep in the State.

Montgomery, Ala., January 10.—(Special.) An authority on sheep states that there are 250,000 sheep in Alabama, and that the average weight of wool clipped from each last year was four and a quarter

The total of the clippings was, therefore, considerably more than a million pounds. Referring to this proposition The Southern Agriculturalist, published in this

southern Agriculturalist, published in this city, says:

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### CAHABA BRIDGE NEARLY DONE. Trains Will Pass Over the Structure the Last of the Week.

Birmingham, Aia., January 10.—(Special.) The bridge over the Cahaba river on the Southern railway, which went down on December 27th with a Birmingham Mineral train, causing the death of more than a score of people, will be ready for trains the last of this week. perienced, as the road from Blocton to Gurnee furnished a short route to Mobile and the gulf, whereas now coal and other stuff from the Blocton territory has to be

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NAME.	ADDRESS.	Amount of Claims Pailt.	Cost.	Amount of Insurance Old Line Companies Would Have Fur- nished at Same Cost.	Old Line
Frank Barclay	Atlanta, Ga	\$2,000.00	\$ 34 86	\$ S65 62	\$1,034.38
Thos. H. Miller	Atlanta, Ga	2,000 00	46 03	902 65	1.097 35
J. C. Confey	Atlanta, Ga	2,000 00	80.56	685 96	1.314 04
Andrew Coleman	Athens, Ga	2.000.00	35 10	897 50	1,102 50
C. G. Talmage	Athens, Ga	4,000 00	103 16	2,127 15	1.872 85
D. L. Born	Athens, Ga	4,000 00	127 27	1,357 33	2.642 67
C. C. Holmes	Barnesville, Ga	2,000 00	40 24	906 20	1.053 80
P. Davis	Shady Dale, Ga,	2,000 00	38 84	954 29	1:045 71
W. L. Hickman	Cedartown, Ga	6,000 00	94 62	3,262 49	2,737 51
. W. Mitchell	Spartanburg, S. C	2.000.00	52 93	901 92	1,098 09

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"Ah," says the languid merchant, "there's nothing new or true-and no mat-

We are not so bitter or cynical. There IS reward for industry and devotion and honesty and purpose and capacity.

Mr. Antique glibly rattles off involved theories of trade, and still clings to the advertising policy and phrases that prevailed "befo' de wah."

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Dealers of this kidney abound. They'll continue to fret and drudge.

You don't want the same meat every day-or the

same advertisements. Guests will be genial and appreciative if you give them fine viands; just as buyers enthuse when the store news expresses varied and rich values. Talent and action, genius and money are essential elements in giving a good

dinner, or selling goods. Victory is won with superior ideas-if you know how to apply them. Plotinus believed in philosophy; Fenelon in saintliness; Pinda sand Byron in poetry; Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Company believe in advertising.

The sentiment in a Cambric Gown is vague to most people. All but the material grace is elusive and evasive. They dream little of the force and art; the skill and subtle economy; the humanizing and civilizing influences and causes that 'demanded and created the delicate garment. The modern merchant is immersed in all these thoughts; perceives iditions that produced the Gown and inspired its use.

Modern merchants are scarce. You know them by their advertising.

The advertising impulse is streaming strong one way. Emerson said he knew a philosopher who summed up his opinion of human nature as follows: "Mankind is a damned rascal; the world lives by humbug, and so will I."

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ATLANTA GA. January 11, 1897.

New England and the Negro.

On many occasions The Constitution has called attention to the fact that the interest which the southern people manifest for the negro is more genuine, more potential and more profitable to the negro himself than the extraordinary deand newspapers of New England.

come a by-word and a repreach, especially among intelligent and traveled

We refer to these things now, not for the purpose of "reopening old wounds," or "recalling the dead past," or contributing in any way to the revival of the Turkish yoke. A feeling of discontent most ludicrous controversy that the world has ever witnessed, but to call attention to a capital instance of New England's treatment of a colored citizen, presumably a respectable man.

During the last campaign, a colored in a district that was considered hopelessly democratic, was nominated by the republicans as a candidate for membership in the executive council of Massachusetts. The duties of this body are chiefly advisory, but it is considered a high honor to be a member thereof, and the position is eagerly sought after by men of leisure and social distinction.

publicans themselves, that Isaac B. Al- of troops into that province, with inposition because it was thought his elec- break in the bud. As yet there has been tion would be an impossibility. His dis- no actual clash between the Turks and trict had always rolled up a heavy dem- the Macedonians, but the signs point ocratic majority, and the republicans unmistakably to one in the very near thought that the negro would be de- future. feated, while they would score a point pointing to Allen's nomination as an yoke of the sultan, and the sympathies brother and their anxiety to lift him into struggle which is now threatened. positions of honor and importance.

But, to the consternation of the republicans, the negro was elected. His Since that event, the republican party have been printing long and solemn editorials as to the best and most convenient method of getting rid of the ne- diana, Maryland, Montana, Louisiana, gro member of the governor's distin-

guished council. One of the methods employed to get rid of Allen was an offer to buy him off. He was offered as much as \$20,000 to resign his position and take a trip to Europe for his health. This failing, Allen's defeated opponent was prompted to make a contest, and an effort was made to count the negro out. The ballots were revised for that purpose, but it was found that Allen was fairly

The Springfield Republican makes this remark: "It would be a good thing if the politicians who nominated Allen could be made to suffer for their sin, instead of the whole state, but it is now Councillor Allen." For their sin! Well, from the standpoint of republican cant, no doubt it was a "sin" to nominate Allen. But the worst sin of all is the hypocrisy which the republicans display when they pretend to idolize the negro at the south while they despise those who are at their elbows worse than they do Satan. It is the worst crime that hypocrisy can invent for New England republicans to abuse and revile the southern people for not electing negroes to office, or for not treating them as social equals, and at the same time make them the victims of the bitterest hate class of men can visit on another.

pathy for the negro. They know him | significance. better than he knows himself, and they appreciate the many noteworthy qualities that he possesses. Their sympathy for the negro does not take the shape of political mouthing, but is practical and substantial in its character. It bestows on him the inestimable privilege of earning his own living in his own way, free from the restraints and bar- ment. Only a few years ago the great riers of prejudice. He works side by side with white men in any trade or calling for which he has fitted himself. The privileges that he earns are the privileges he deserves, and these he is left free to enjoy to their fullest extent. In New England, about the only callings ! terprising people, who have put their enopen to him is whitewashing and dray- ergies into its soil and made it the iming. He has been and is excluded from perial granary of the nation. It is also all the profitable trades and callings.

No doubt many intelligent colored people in the south will wonder at the com- few years abundantly shows. motion that has been caused in the re-

unexpected election of Isaac B. Allen; some of them may even be indignant. But they will not take the lesson to heart; the real significance of the incident will not come home to them. They will continue to support the hypocritical organization which pats them on the is evident not only from the varied and head in public and voids its rheum on infinite resources of the west, but in a them in private.

Now that there is no possible chance of ousting Allen from the governor's cabinet, the policy of violent opposition has been discarded, and he will be made the victim of slights and ostracism. It regular dinner, participated in by the incoming and retiring councillors will be discontinued. There will be a dinner, affair, to which Allen will not be admitted.

It is also given out that the councillors, during Allen's term of administration, will omit all functions of a social character. Consequently Allen is not to be admitted to the board on equal terms, | ing the present session. with the white republicans, and to his knowledge of this fact will be added veiled insults and systematic snubs. It would have been far better for Allen if he had accepted the \$20,000 money

### Another Outbreak.

offered for his resignation.

Most of the European outbreaks which have occurred within the last fifteen or twenty years have been restricted towhat is known as the Balkan peninsula.

This large body of land stretches from the Danube to the Mediterranean, and embraces several important countries within its circuit. Among these countries are Roumania, Servia, Bulgaria, Macedonia and others.

In the war between Russia and Turclarations of deep love, sympathy and key several years ago the Balkan peninrespect which have from time to time sula figured with conspicuous promibeen put forth by the representative men | nence, most of the engagements of that celebrated campaign being fought with-There have been hundreds of proofs in its boundaries." Since that time Bulof this since the war, so much so that garia and Servia have quarreled with the attitude of the people of that section | tragic results, while various intrigues toward the negroes who are so unfortu- and conspiracies have disturbed the life nate as to dwell among them has be- of the peninsula. These latter yexations have arisen from the rival efforts of Russia and Austria to dominate the affairs of the several Balkan states.

Mention of these interesting facts is suggested by the statement that Macedonia is on the eve of throwing off the has existed in the province for some time, due in a large measure to the influence of Bulgarian ideas. Most of the inhabitants of Macedonia at the present time are Bulgarians, and the Turkish voke is extremely disagreeable to them: man, Isaac B. Alllen by name, who lived In the event of actual hostilities the Macedonians can, no doubt, count upon the active support of Bulgaria. As the latter country is in some measure under the sultan's rule, such a clash will afford a covenient opportunity to the Bulgarians for dissolving their relations with the Turk.

In order to quell the disturbance which has broken out in Macedonia, the Turk-It is openly admitted now, by the re- ish government has dispatched a number len, the negro, was nominated for the structions to nip the contemplated out-

No one can blame the Macedonians for with the colored voters of the state by being anxious to throw off the accursed evidence of their love for the colored of Christendom will be with them in the

### State Railroad Commissions.

There are sixteen states in the union ticket, was voted for with the rest. have no officers or boards specially constituted to supervise the railways within their respective limits and equalize the rates of transportation.

> These states are Arkansas, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Idaho, In-Nevada, New Jersey, Tennesssee, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming and

> In six of these states no reports whatever are required from railroad companies. In the others there are certain state officers who take the reatter in charge. The state of Arkansas, for example, has a board, consisting of the governor, auditor and secretary of state. which is styled a railroad commission. but it hardly comes up to the idea of a commission as understood in Georgia and other states. In Colorado and Florida the experiment of having a commission has been tried and abandoned.

> The Railway Age goes on to say that in some states very great benefit has been derived from commissions, while others serious injury has resulted both to the people and the railroads. Accepting this statement as true, there is no reason why the experience of every state in the union, with competent and just men employed on these commissions, should not be in the highest degree satisfactory to all parties con-

### The Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

While every movement which seeks to develop the resources of the country is a matter of national interest, regardless and most withering contempt that one of the section in which it may be located, the Trans-Mississippi and Inter-The southern people have never made | national exposition to be held at Omaha, any pretensions in regard to their sym- | Neb., next year is of more than ordinary

Aside from illustrating the varied resources of the country along industrial, scientific and agricultural lines of progress, it will be the first exposition of this kind ever held west of the Mississippi

There is a marvelous, record of growth condensed in this simple statewestern half of the continent was a barren wilderness, occupied by tribes of savage Indians. Today, however, it belongs to civilization in the broadest and best meaning of that term. It is the home of a thrifty, progressive and enthe abode of manufacturing industry, as the progress of the west during the past

The movement to hold an exposition

months ago. The enterprise has steadily grown in magnitude, however, until now the plan of the incorporators is to hold an exposition which will be colossal and world-wide in its character. That the exposition will be a pronounced success still higher degree, from the sleepless and unremitting activities of our trans-Mississsippi brethren.

The authorized capital of the Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition Company is fixed at \$1,000,000. Of this is already announced that the annual sum \$460,000 has already been subscribed, while the balance will be raised within the next six months. It is understood that the legislature of Nebraska has but it will be a private and an informal been asked to appropriate \$250,000, and that indications point to a favorable consideration of this request. Last June a measure was adopted in congress appropriating \$200,000 toward a government exhibit, and there is some likelihood that this appropriation will be increased dur-

It is needless to assure our western brethren that the sympathies of the south are most cordially enlisted in this great enterprise. Between the two sections there are many strong ties of natural interest and affection. Especially is this true in the relationship which exists between Georgia and Nebraska; and to say that Georgia wishes her sister state godspeed in her mammoth undertaking is, in a measure, superfluous.

There is nothing in the Omaha expo sition which conflicts in the least with the great industrial enterprise to be held in Nashville this year. They occur at different times; and, while they are both international in scope, like our own exposition two years ago, their purpose is to advance the welfare of the country and to make it a still greater blessing to the world. The entire south, therefore, cordially unites in wishing for the Trans-Mississippi and International exposition a prosperous and successful ca-

### "Hark! from the Tomb."

If we are to judge from some recent remarks of Senator David B. Hill, his mind is racked with misery and all the pleasures of life drowned in deep despair. The country has practically gone to the dogs, the democratic party is "on the rocks of populism," and Bryan is "dead beyond political resurrection."

Consequently there is no joy in the present and no hope for the future, and every democrat may as well imagine that he is the stricken deer and go off weeping-that is to say, if there is anywhere to go.

It is all very sad no doubt-certainly it is sad for Mr. Hill, who, lying in a political grave of his own making, and deeper one than our political history has ever known before, volunteers these sepulchral remarks.

It is significant of the senator's present plight that he should confuse party principles with men. Mr. Bryan is just as popular today as he was when he was a candidate, and he is wise enough and patriotic enough to beg those who insist on keeping his name before the public as a candidate four years hence to desist and turn their attention to adver-

tising and promoting party principles. Men like Mr. Hill should not forget that they, and not the party, are responsible for their private woes. Nor should they forget, when they talk of the 'wreck" of the democratic party, that it polled more votes at the last election and is stronger today than ever before in the history of the organization.

As frequently happens in the evoluparties and in the adjustment of old principles to new conditions, a great many sad-eyed brethren are left by the wayside. They lack either the heart or the strength to march with the party. They are temporizers, mere politicians, who have been successful enough in the past to imagine that their presence and their services are indispensable to the party.

What is happening now has happened before, and it will continue to happen. New men, stonger men, and better men arise to take the places of the vacillat-

Let us hope that Senator Hill will have a happy new year in spite of his pres-

Governor Black, of New York, says there's too much "starch" in civil service reform. That word "starch" sounds if it came right out of Platt's note-

A New York club that can't get all

its private affairs aired in the newspa-

pers once a month is not much of an in-Mr. Corbett has actually whipped a man with his fists. It is true the man was sick, but he wasn't too drunk or

It seems that Mr. Hanna has landed his man in North Carolina. Now what does Cousin Marion Butler get out of it?

Emperor William knows how to make a cup of coffee. It is probable that there are but three other men in the world who have mastered the art.

Mr. Bayard didn't know when the Venezuelan matter was settled, but in a speech made the other day, he holds himself personally responsible for the whole

### EDITORIAL COMMENT.

"The proposition before congress," says the Philadelphia Times, "to increase he salary of Dr. William T. Harris, commissioner of education of the United States com \$3,000 to \$5,000 should receive prompt and favorable action. Dr. Harris has fulfilled the duties of his office with distinmiled the duties of his office with distinguished ability and success and he commands the respect not only of the teaching profession, but of the general public. The salary now paid the commissioner is absurd, when compared with the sation of a large number of officers in important but much less representative positions of educational administration. The superintendent of public schools in Philadelphia receives \$5,000; three of the principals of the five higher schools are paid \$4,000 each, the other two \$3,000. The salary of the superintendent of Boston is publican party of Massachusetts at the in Omaha was inaugurated several \$4,200; Brooklyn, \$5,000; New York, \$7,500; erly winds to northwesterly winds.

Circinnati, \$4,500; Cleveland, \$5,000; Chicago, \$7,000; Minneapolis, \$4,000; St. Louis, \$4,500. What gives special force to the request is that the salary of the superintendent of chools of Washington is \$5,500, a sum nearly twice as much as the present salary of the commissioner of education and \$500 more than will be the latter's salary if

the proposed increase is allowed."

The czar of Russla is not quite such a despot as his reputation paints him. Though not a figurehead by any means, he lacks much of being an autocrat. Aside from the various ministries of the em-pire there are three boards of government in Russia. The first of these is the senate established years ago by Peter the Great, which has both legislative and executive functions. It is also the highest court of ustice in the land, and, without its proulgation, no imperial decree is valid. Next is the council of state, which has power to examine new projects of laws suggested by the ministries and to disexamine new projects of laws uss the budget. Lastly, there is the holy yood, to which is committed the superision of religious affairs. Only a few days ago, it will be remembered. Count Tolstoi, he famous Russian author, was summoned o appear before this body on the charge

### WHAT THE PAPERS SAY.

Chleago Chronicle: The defeat of John Wanamaker for United States senator in Pennsylvania is one of the righteous results of the present campaign season. It is a fit rebuke to a preposterous hypocrite and humbug.

Philadelphia Record: According to The Johannesburg Standard, the Transvail Boers have prepared their little bill against Great Britain, and the indemnity to be demanded for Jameson's raid will amount to the March March 1988. manded for Jameson's raid will amount \$10,000,000. Counting the millions exacted from the Johannesburg conspirates, the British invasion of the Transal may prove to have been a quite profuble enterprise for the Boscs.

Boston Herald: Weyler in his recent movements in Pinar del Rio has demonstrated what a miscrable humbug re is. With 30,000 of the picked soldiers of Spain he has pretended to make a campaign against 6,000 Cubans. The net results of the expedition have been the assassination of Maceo by treacnery and the butchery of a number of hon-combatants.

Baltimore American: Some time till Christmas. They waited, and now he antounces the pestponement of complete success until spring. Only one thing as yet appears certain about the campaign—when one side is at the end of its resources the other will friumph. And those of Spain are not unlimited.

Philadelphia Record: It is reported that Philadelphia Record: It is reported that the czar intends to create a supreme court "with the object of relieving himself of much of the work which devolves upon him." The implication from this item of news would seem to be that the czars of Russia have hitherto attempted to make as well as to administer the laws of an empire with a population of 100,000,000.

Philadelphia Record: Senator Allison still carries a level head on his shoulders. He will not be beckoned from his safe perch in the senate to a place in the Mc-kinley cabinet. As a rule, the way from the cabinet to the white house is beset with difficulties.

Boston Herald: The result of the sena-torial contest in Pennsylvania marks the close of the Cameron dynasty in that state, which began with the election of Simon Cameron to the United States senate in 1815. The elder Cameron figured in seven centests for United States senator and won in four. J. Donald Cameron figured in four, in all of which he was victorious. Chicago Chronicle: The Cuban senators have materially changed their views or at least have abandoned their proposed action. Senator Don Cameron, who is the putative author of the belligerent resolutions is always at the south for his tions. health.

he ultimate her lage of all mankind, and furkey or any other power that obstinate-y obstructs the efforts of mankind to enter into possession of its heritage must perish. Yet Mr. Gladstone is right also, or he is as wise as he is fervid, in pro-laiming that the time for dismemberment. has not yet come

New York Cun: The absorbing question n Spain seems to be whether Weyler shall be recalled. The monarchy has gone to Philadelphia Records Since the present riff went into operation American manu-icturers have conquered markets which efore then they had hardly dreamed of entering, and their products are pouring nto those markets in constantly increasing

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: In his an-

### PECULIAR NAMES OF TOWNS.

From The Chicago Chronicle.

The nomenclature of the villages and towns of the United States presents an amusing field for study. Howard Furnas touched upon it in his recent account of the little hamlet of Trilby, Fla., with its adjoining Lake du Maurier, its Svengali square, Zou Zou avenue and Little Billee street. Wallace Peck, in his fantastical conceit, "The Story of a Train of Cars," develops the subject more fully. The hero makes a tour through the United States, his itinerary including stops at all the oddly and vulgarly named places. After a laborious hunt through the latest postoffice guide, Mr. Peck makes out the fol-

A B C, Tenn.; Accident, Md.; Adieu. Tex.; American Flag. Tex.; Bachelor's Hall, Va.; Bird in Hand, Pa.; Bumble Bee, Arl.; Calf Killer, Tenn.; Chat, Cal.; Chro-me, Col.; Comical Corners, N. J.; Dead Horse, Neb. (afterwards changed to Live Horse, then to Rose Dale); Dime, La.; Doctor Town, Ga.; Doorway, Ky.; Dull, Tenn.; Finis, Tex.; Finger, Miss.; Fort Spunky, Tex.; Hard Times, La.; Leap ear, Tenn.; Limbs, Tenn. (Weakle bunty); Looking Glass, Neb., and Ore Looneyville, N. Y.; Moral, Okla.; New Design, Ill: New Moon, Ark.; Nine Times, S. C.; Not. Mo.; Q. K., Ky.; Mississippi and South Carolina; Only. Tenn.; Overalls, Pa.; Pay Up, Ga.; Plano, Ky.; Quick, Neb.; Mo.: Rabbit Hash, Ky.: Rapture Kan.; Shoo Fly, Iowa; Shortly, Del.; Short Off, N. C.; Sleety Eye, Minn.; Soper, Pa.; Squirejim, W. Va.; Sub Rosa, Ark.; Sweet Home, Ark.; Tin Cup. Col.; Tombstone, Ark.; Toonigh, Ga.; Total Wreck, Arl.; Trim Belle, Wis.; U Bet. Tenn.; Useful, Mo.; Useless, Wash.; Vimbville, Miss.; Wakeur, O.; Walkehalk, Pa.; Waterproof, La.; Why Not, N. C.; Yell-

Mr. Peck thus muses in a Hamlet-like Mr. Peck thus muses in a Hamlet-like soliloquy: "What a train of mournful ideas follows the scanning of these names. You wonder how you would like to be addressed as the mayor of Calf Killer; or, if a woman, you start at the possibility of being known as the belle of Last Chance, or the beauty of Total Wreek. You could that goernaby is such to You conclude that geography is cruel to place Last Chance in Iowa and Leap Year in far-away Tennessee. These two should have been\_(as they are in the list) side by side, with the town of Why Not in sight. How would you like to inform your friends that you were a Bogus (Cal.) lawyer, about to take a trip from Useful (Mo.) to Useless (Wash.)? Or, if a prohibitionist, that you were soon to move from Tin Cup (Col.) to Jug Town (N. C.)? One gem of delicacy, however, is set vulgar list, and the reader will find it in the name which follows Leap Year, Tenn. Thanks to the Boston man who called his

### Forecast for Today.

new settlement Limbs."

Washington, January 10.-North and outh Carolina and Georgia-Fair; southwesterly winds.
Eastern and western Florida and Alabama-Fair: westerly, winds.
Mississippi, Louisiana and eastern Texas, fair; variable winds.
Western Texas and Arkansas-Fair; north-

### TALK OF THE TOWN.

The Insurance Herald of Louisville Kv publishes the account of a very interesting episode in which a well-known Atlanta lentist and an enterprising insurance agent were the chief participants. true in every particular, and is as follows: "The ant, who has so long worn the Biblical belt as the champion light-weight hustler, and the proverbial early bird must now own himself clearly outclassed by N. B. Browne, a life insurance agent of Atlanta. On the night of October Mr. Browne was sitting in the little tavern at Lawrenceville, Ga., leisurely scanning the 'want' columns of an Atlanta ewspaper, when his eye hit upon this LIFE INSURANCE WANTED-\$5.00 in

reliable company. Call on Dr. R. B. Adair, 73½ Whitehall street. "His first thought was 'Fake!" and be so expressed himself to the landlord; but being assured by that worthy that Dr.

Adair was an acquaintance of his, and a

prominent dentist, he decided to 'try him whirl,' and asked to be called for the early train to Atlanta.

"Arriving there at 10 o'clock he proceedwhere he found the reception parlor liter ally lined with gentlemen, whom he immediately sized up to be brother agents on the same mission bent. In a far corner of the room a gentleman, answering to landlord's description of the dentist, was being fiercely button-holed by the agent of a prominent assessment company, and Browne saw that to wait his 'turn' with that crowd meant certain defeat. The situation called for quick, decisive action. He had been a drummer in his time and did not hesitate.

"Walking straight up to the dentist, Browne said: 'Pardon the interruption, but is this Dr. Adair?' 'Great Scott!' exclaimed the dentist.

'is this another life insurance agent?'
"'Excuse me, sir,' said Browne, 'I don't
quite understand you. I am suffering with broken tooth, and was recommended by a friend to Dr. Adair, but it seems I have o bow himself out.

'Hold on,' cried the doctor, 'it is I who should beg pardon. Fact is, sir, I was fool enough yesterday to adver-ise for life insurance, and although it's 10 o'clock, those agents have already dked me crazy. I thought you were one them, and that's why I spoke in that way, but come right into my private office and I will be glad to serve you.

oken snag and the dentist said it must 'Let her go,' said Browne, and sat

'Any other work needed in my mouth. Doc? Several fillings, ch? All right, Doc. but you must wait until next week on that, as my business will take me out of town till then; tact is, Doc, I'm in the life ave you, too, come in answer to that

advertisement? Frankly, doctor, I have; but in order to get this interview I have told you only truth, and I want to make you this position; Give me five minutes (laying position. Give me five min his watch on the table) to explain my policy. If at the end of that time I have convinced you. I agree not only to get out, but will pay you for your time at dentai rates."
"That sounds fair enough," said the

dentist, and before the long hand of the watch had moved up five short spaces the The agent passed out, but as he reach-

ed the outer door he turned to the auxious throng and, with the application in his hand, said: Boys, I guess you needn't wait any longer, I've just fixed that little matter with Dr. Adair.'
"Browne says he has a few more teeth that he is willing to part with each that he is willing to part with on the same

### OUR FRIENDS OF THE PRESS.

The Jonesboro Enterprise is kind enough to say that if The Evening Constitution "proves half as good as that which en-lightens and gladdens the reading world every morning, it is safe to predict great success for the new venture."

And The Jackson Times declares that if The Evening Constitution takes after its daddy, it will be a warm member. . The Evening Constitution receives a wel-

. The Evening Constitution receives a welcome from The Greenville Vindicator:

The Atlanta Constitution is the most progressive paper in the south. It is truly a newspaper. It gets the news at any cost and dishes it out to its readers. The latest enterprise of this great journal is an evening paper which will come forth from the perfection presses crisp and newsy on the afternoon of the 18th instant and every succeeding afternoon y on the afternoon of the 18th in-and every succeeding afternoon after. Success to The Evening Con-

Good advice is that given in The Covington Enterprise: The best and cheapest way to advertise is in your home papers, for they are read by the people whose patronage you desire. The Enterprise solicits no advertisements from abroad that will take trade from home merchants, and therefore the latter ought to patronize us.

Colonel W. Trox Bankston is now pre-pared to run two newspapers. The Ring-gold New South and The Dalton Citizen. Mrs. Bankston will hold the fort in Ringgold, while her husband will be in Dalton, The Senoia Enterprise is not alone in

"We received notice this week from the Turin postoffice to discontinue a cer-tain man's paper who had not paid us a cent in over three years. We guess we will have to comply."

The Rome Tribune quotes Editor Loyless of Macon, as saying that "he is awaiting developments with interest since the telephone line has been completed between Forsyth and Amricus. The balance of the state is interested in figuring on what Editor Loyless expects to see develop." The "Blakely Observer, in noticing a Blakely Observer, in noticing

rumor that one of the ousted whisky dea ers of Fort Gaines is about to start business in Early county, says that "if there is one thing that Blakely needs more than another newspaper it is another barroom. We have only three of each at present.

### QUEEN GIVES TO SUFFERERS. Lord Mayor Has His Subscription List

Handsomely Increased.

London, January 1.—The queen has contributed £500 (\$2,500) to the found that has been started by Mn. George F. Philips lord mayor of London, for the relief of for Blakely resulted as follows: For mayor, G. D. Oliver; Councilmen, L. C. Strong, that she may recover. Handsomely Increased. the famine sufferers in India.

### CHAT WITH THE STATE PRESS.

Does illicit whisky distilling pay? This s a question which The Dahlonega Nugget discusses in a practical manner. Revenue Officer Harbison, of that district, reports that he destroyed thirty illicit distilleries since the first of October, twentynine of them being in Lumpkin county, and that the destruction of property at these distilleries was not less than \$3,000. He arrested upon an average of one man at each distillery, and that the thirty men served, or win, three months each in Fulton county jail, saying nothing of the time those that could not make bond are confined before the day of trial. So the loss of property and the labor of those men at the very least calculation will amount to \$3,500 in the three months Just think about the loss of time and property in Lumpkin county alone reaching the enormous sum of \$10,000 in one year. The trouble does not end here. Those that retail liquor made at these distilleries before their destruction, frequently visit Dahlonega to deal it out and are returned to the grand jury, which results in being heavily fined in the superior court, causing much trouble and heavy expense to the county. One defendant not long ago had to sell the last horse he had in order to pay his fine and cost. If, says The Nugget, the blockaders of the mountains would devote their time to some other business, all this loss of property and many months of wasted time could be saved and Lumpkin county would soon become one of the most prosperous counties in Georgia, and their children would become more enlightened, for instead of remaining at home to watch for the revenue officers while their fathers are engaged in this liquor business. they could go to school and reap the bene fits of an education provided for them by a liberal legislature.

### Money in Tobacco.

Mr. C. H. Linch, a successful farmer of Pierce county, thinks that the time has come for the farmers to make a change, as they all say that they can't live by making cotton at 10 and 12 cents a pound. making cotton at 10 and 12 cents a pound.
Many of the farmers falled to realize enough out of their cotton crop to pay for their guano, to say nothing about that eld mortgage which is hanging over their farms. In an article in The Blackshear Times, Mr. Leach thus sums up his remedy.

remedy: "I would suggest, first, that you make "I would suggest, first, that you make your meat and bread at home, for just so long as your cornerib and meat house are kept in the west, just so long you will be hard up. Make your home supplies on the farm and then put your extra labor on something that you can turn into cash. For instance, say that you plant three or four acres in tobacco, which is always ready cash. I have spent at least twenty years growing and handling tobacco, and I think there is some as fine soil for the weed in old Pierce as I have seen anywhere. It is very sorry tobacco that will you hold on to cotton when you can make more at something else? I am glad to say that some of the best farmers in this say that some of the best farmers in this section have decided to plant some tobacco this year, and I hope that many of them will decide to plant some and give it a fair test. I shall plant some myself and will be glad to help and show others who will try it all that I can."

### An Old Georgia Town.

The ghost of an old town, once thrifty and populous, is Marion, as described by The Jefferson Herald. There is nothing but a few negro shantles, and they are dilapldated and almost uninhabitable. Where the old town stood, the ground has grown up in mulberry bushes, briers and weeds. The swamp, close by, is dense and wet. The ditches that used to drain it have filled up, and the owls and the bats make their homes there. The dismal hoot of the owl is heard nightly and daily. The Herald, describing its former importance,

says:

"Marion was then a busy town, pulsing with life, and twenty-five or thirty stores were doing a thriving business. One or more banks were then doing business in the town, buying and selling exchange, discounting notes and receiving deposits from the prosperous citizenship. In those prosperous days, when money was plentiful and the laws not so strict as they now are, the flashlily dressed 'gentlemen' who presided over the luxurious 'gambling hells' flourished and grew 'fat' on the 'earnings' which the goddess of luck emptied into their laps from the well-filled purses of the gay and reckless citizens of the town and the country adjacent. There county. Some merchents grew immensely wealthy there, notably Mr. Peck, who did a large and lucrative business. About the commencement of the war he sold all his property, including his negroes, and returned to the north from whence he came. Nearly all of those who lived and flourished in those days have gone to join the great majority on the other side of the great invisible line which divides time from eternity. Their last resting places are marked by tombs and monuments in the neighborhood of old Marion, or they sleep in unknown graves upon the battlesleep in unknown graves upon the battic-fields of Virginia or Georgia. The once flourishing capital of old Twiggs is now one of the almost forgotten dead towns of Georgia?

### They Were in a Hurry.

The Lawrenceville News tells of ipitate Gretna Green affair which took

cipitate Gretna Green affair which took place in that town:

"Yesterday an excited couple drove into town in a one-horse wagon. When they reached the public street on the north side of the courthouse square the man hastily sprang from the wagon and hurrying to the nearest man in sight inquired as to where he could find a justice of the peace. The gentleman approached happened to be our efficient notary public, J. M. Mills, who informed him that he was a magistrate. Thereupon the excited gentleman, who turned out to be E. L. Brock, pulled out a marriage license, issued by Ordinary Webb, authorizing the joining in the holy bonds of matrimony of said Brock and Miss Susie Kirby. Mr. Mills conducted the couple to his residence, where he proceeded to tie the Kirby. Mr. Mills conducted the couple to his residence, where he proceeded to tie the knot in tip-top style. Indeed, the service was so smooth and prompt that the bride and groom continued to stand with clasped hands after the ceremony had been completed, and appeared astonished when informed that the work was done. When he realized that he was safely tied he grabbed the bride by the arm and hurried back to the wagon and started on their bridal. the bride by the arm and hurried back to the wagon and started on their bridal

A Lively Attack on Revenue Men.

The people around Post Oak district, in Cobb county, had considerable sport with some revenue officers a few nights The officers hired a double rig from Mr. Marion Evans, of Woodsteck, and at night drove out to near Harmony Grove church The officers left Mr. Evans with the team as guard and journeyed on foot to near Mr. Pat Johnson's. In a secluded place they found where the still had been run, there being fresh fire in the furnace, beer, etc., but the "moonshiners" evidently got wind of their coming and removed the still, cap and worm. The officers then still, cap and worm. The officers there went one mile north from there, and in a swamp found a still and cut it up. An unknown man ran up and tried to get the still in advance, but he was shot at by the officers and had to flee for safety. But while the officers were engaged in their raid on the distillers, an unknown crowd visited Evans, who was guarding the vehicles and horses, and at the point of shotguns told him to leave, and that quick. Evans took the two horses and left, and didn't stop until he arrived at Woods The crowd then took the rig off at a rapid gait. The vehicle contained a valise with Officer Kilby's commission in it, and about Officer Kilby's commission in it, and about forty warrants for the arrest of parties. The officers had to wend their way back to Woodstock on foot, being refused lodging at all of the houses in the neighborhood. So far the vehicle, valise and papers have never been found—they have been "spirited" away as mysteriously as the disappearance of a ghos

G. E. Chipstead, J. H. Hand, J. W. Alexander and J. C. Chancy. The new council has elected Mr. C. E. Stuckey marshal and Mr. C. Jim Mulligan night watchman and J. J. Smith, clerk.

Twenty-six weddings were "solemnized" in the eastern part of Brooks country dur-ing Christmas week.

The new officers of Glascock are: Mayor, K. J. Hawkins: recorder. W. T. Kitchens; councilmen, J. C. Wilcher, J. W. Whiteley, E. B. Rogers, J. F. Brassell and A. B.

The year 1897 bids fair to be a prosperous ne for Harmony Grove. Many new prises are now in their incipient stage, which will most certainly be developed before the year is brought to a close.

The Tattnall County Fire Insurance Company held a meeting in Reidsville Monday. At this meeting J. V. Kelly was elected president. The company is in good shape and its officers and members feel encouraged over its past work, and prospect for the future.

Says The Dahlonega Nugget: The case of Bigbee vs. Sumerours and Spriggs, growing out of the discovery of a rich gold mine near Auraria, was brought before Judge Kimsey at Cleveland last Thursday, who ordered the defendants, harged with contempt of court, to be released by the sheriff until tomorrow, at which time the trial will be continued before his honor at Dahlonega. It has been shown by two different surveys that the mine is on Mr. Bigbee's land, and according to the testimony of Spriggs himself, is very rich. He stated upon oath at Cleveand, so we are informed, that the ore he had out is worth \$400 per ton. Spriggs contends that he got permission to work on the property from Mr. Bigbee, W. H. Satterfield was appointed receiver, who went down last Tuesday to take charge of and crush the ore and hold the gold until the question can be settled. Colonel Bartley H. Corbin, aged eighty-

two, who resides in Chestatee district, was on the first jury that ever tried a case in Lumpkin county and was a member of the first grand jury ever drawn in the county and has never served on any other

jury but the grand jury since. Last Sunday a certain member of the church residing in Dahlonega, went out and built him a wild turkey pen. Just about the time he got it completed and baited he saw four of the choice game not far off, each one looking to him to be as large as the fifty-pound bird served at the white house Christmas day. could not stand the temptation and slipped home and got his gun, but had no luck. Baxley, under the new charter, will be

known as the city of Baxley. The board of directors of the Sumter matters. The annual meeting of stockholders will take place on the first Friday in an amendment made to the company's char-

The Buena Vista Argus calls for another bank in that city. It holds that the more money a town can put out to the agricultural classes the more trade there will be in the fall, as the farmer usually trades largely where he obtains the money accommodations.

The Springplace News narrates a curious Incident in Whitfield county. It is reported that a very wicked man was dying at his that a very wicked man was dying at his home surrounded by perhaps forty or fifty friends, when he suddenly raised himself erect, exclaiming that there was the devil come after him now, and the assembled friends, upon looking in the direction in dicated, saw something in the window, and after pausing there for a short time i descended to the floor and started to the bed where the dying man was lying still pointing at it. The friends all fled from

the room and upon their return found the man dead and the supposed devil gone. The Jasper Republican also narrates a curious story, which, however, is not accompanied by the necessary affidavits. Near Talking Rock, as the story goes, several parties were engaged in a hunt, as it sometimes happens, one of the ters let off his gun prematurely, accidental ly, recklessly or otherwise, and the dog was slightly wounded. It is said, however, that the owner of the dog believed his hurt was mortal, and it was only a question of a organized and in the midst of the sole surroundings of this touching scene v devoutly led by the agonized owner of i wounded, bleeding and struggling d which in due time recovered, to the is speakable delight of the

Uncle Charley Hearn, courty, brought to Franklin last week some of silver ore. He will have it analyzed. He has the ore in superabundance and it is has the ore in superabundance and it is quite likely that he has unearthed a bonanza in his old age—just such mineral bonanzas as progressive prosperity will find the rugged hearts of Heard's hills to contain. It has been known for years that Heard county was rich in mineral resources. There is evidence of it on every hilltop and in the bed of every stream, needing nothing but the active and appreciative hand of enterprise and push to develop them into mines of richness and profit.

### them into mines of richness and profit. SCIENTIFIC NOTES.

The difficulty of registering the temperature of the bottom of the ocean is due to the fact that at a great depth the thermometers are crushed by the pressure.

The Roentgen rays have a new sphere of usefulness. By their aid chalk can be detected in flour, brickdust in cayenne pepper, sand in spices and many other similar It has been recently established that the

fusel oil, etc., in raw spirits can be re-moved by the introduction of a current of pure oxygen. The flavor of the spirit is nct only improved, but its physiological action is much ameliorated. The nearest approach of Mars to the sun is 123,500,000 miles; his mean distance 181,500,000; his greatest distance, 154,500,000. Our mean distance from the sun is about nine-ty-three million miles. The nearest approach of the two planets to each other is

It is said that singers, actors and public sneakers find that since the introduction of the electric light they have less trouble with their voices, and they are less likely to catch cold, their throats are not so parched and they feel better. This is due to the air being less vitalized, nd the temperature more even.

It is said that Mr. George L. Newcomb, who for the past six months has been an active experimenter with the X-rays, has been forced to abandon his work, owing to the deleterious effects he experienced from the X-rays falling on his right hand. He has all the symptoms of sunburn and lost the skin, h ir and finger nails from his hand.

Balloons were used in the recent German Balloons were used in the recent German army maneuvers. Each corps had a halloon, handled by six men. Six gas carriages, drawn each by six bayses, belonged to each balloon, and the unloading filling and sending up took only fourteen minutes. The balloons were kept at a height of 3:200 feet, from which the officers telegraphed to headquarters and sent sketches of the enemy's position down the rope.

Professor Ayrton, in discussing Mr. Precee's British association paper on "Electric Glow-Lamp Tests." stated that he had been testing a new incandescent lamp, not yet on the market, the filament of which was carbide of silicon. He spoke culoristically of this lamp, and stated that after a life of 1,000 hours the consumption did not accord 25 world.

Condition Slightly Improved.

The condition of Mrs. J. F. Beaton was a little more favorable yesterday than Saturday, and all hope for her recovery was not entirely been abandoned. She is in a very critical condition, however, and her relatives from a distance bave been surposed to her bedyide, lier many friends moned to her bedside. Her many friends hope that her condition will improve and

# CARTER'S HEARING **COMES TOMORROW**

Investigation of Charges Against Judges Reese and Sweat To Begin.

MANY WITNESSES ON HAND

Large Amount of Evidence Is Ready To Be Heard.

SENATOR CARTER IS EXPECTED TODAY

Both Judges Insist on a Searching Investigation and All Sides Announce Ready.

The investigation of charges against Judge Seaborn Reese and Judge J. L. Sweat will begin tomorrow morning in the senate chamber, and present indications point to a searching and painstaking in vestigation of all charges that have been preferred by Senator Carter.

Senator Carter is expected to reach the city this afternoon. Many witnesses who have been subpocnaed will probably arrive today, and everything will be in readiness for the investigation to begin in the morning. Senator Carter says he has all of the evidence that is necessary and will push the investigation to his utmost. He believes the charges are of such a nature as to demand a complete inves tigation and he will endeavor to show that his charges have not been made without sufficient grounds.

More than two hundred witnesses will be on hand to answer questions when the Investigation commences. The mileage and expenses of the witnesses will be paid by the state, and this one item alone will amount to many hundreds of dollars, which must come from the coffers of the state's freasury. Chairman Felder has received number of letters, asking whether or not the state would advance this money to the witnesses. Chairman Felder has replied in the negative to these inquiries, as the money is to be paid by the state after the investigation has been made.

Investigation Will Be Searching. Chairman Felder has announced that he will give both sides every opportunity to have the truth shown, and while the investigation will be conducted with as much dispatch as possible, the points will be passed over without a thorough and complete research being made. Both Judge Reese and Judge Sweat have asked that the investigation be complete and they will insist that nothing be taken for granted that is not proven to everyone's satisfaction. They desire that every witness be examined and that none be passed over Ithout first being given an opportunity to testify to everything they may know.

The charges against Judge Sweat will be taken up first, and the witnesses in his case will be examined before the charges against Judge Reese are heard. All witnesses against Judge Sweat will be examined tomorrow and Wednesday. It is exbefore Wednesday night and the programme as has been arranged provides that the charges against Judge Reese be taken up Thursday. It is said, however, that the investigation of the charges against Judge Sweat will not be concluded before the latter part of the week, and it is quite probable that Judge Reese will not be given a hearing before next Mon-

Charges Against Judge Sweat. The charges against Judge Sweat are

quite numerous and many witnesses have been subpoensed to appear against him and substantiate the charges.

The charges are specific and allege that Judge Sweat did not conduct himself in a proper manner at Indian Spring some

One charge is that Judge Sweat was intoxicated at a banquet given in Brunswick by the Bankers' association, and that the judge made a long speech, demonstrating to all present that he was intox-

These charges will be denied by many witnesses who have been cited to appear before the committee by Judge Sweat, including some of the most prominent gentlemen of the state.

Many Charges Against Judge Reese. rior court Judge Reese is charged with being drunk while on the bench at Madison. Senator Carter charges that at the same time he used profane and improper language in the presence of ladies.

One of the most sensational charges made by Senator Carter is the one that Judge Reese adjourned court at Elberton and was present at a dinner given by the Granite City 'Cue Club, at which dinner he drank freely, finally falling from his chair in a completely intexicated condition.

A number of instances are cited in the charges alleging that at several places Judge Reese was intoxicated and was guilty of improper conduct in the presence of

As Attorney General Terrell has declin ed to conduct the investigation, a member of the committee will be appointed each day who will examine the witnesses and take the testimony.

Judge Hamilton McWhorter and Colone James Whitehead will represent Judge Reese in the investigation and Judge Sweat will be represented by Congressman-elect W. G. Brantley, of the Brunswick cir.

Faulkner Will Be Present.

Colonel G. H. Falkner, the uncle of the young lady to whom it is said improper language was addressed by Judge Sweat. has announced that he will be on hand tomorrow and will aid in substantiating the charges which have been preferred by Senator Carter against Judge Sweat.

The young lady's name is Miss Lella Bradley, and her sister, Miss Emma Bradley, was said to have been present at the time when Judge Sweat is charged with having acted in an improper manner. Colonel Falker stated he had not as yet been subpoenaed, but will be present and will testify whether one is received or not. He says he does not know Judge Sweat personally, and adds that he has never desired to compromise the matter, and will be present at the hearing to give his evidence. Both young ladies will doubtless on hand and will appear before the commiltee having the investigation in hand.

Committee Will Caucus. The sub-committee, composed of Hon. T. B. Felder, Hon. Hewlett A. Hall and Hon. J. M. Slaton, will hold a private meeting Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock in the rooms of the judiciary committee, and after mak ing necessary arrangements, will then proceed to the senate chamber, where the in vestigation will be held.

SOUSA'S BAND TONIGHT. Will Be Heard in Concert Tonight at the Grand.

No better proof of sousa's unparalleled success, with his matchiess band and his infilling marches, is wanted; than the arlistic and mancial resums of his triumphint concert tours. The nne promises of present season, which includes Sousa's enth semi-annual and his third transsverywhere crowded theaters and entitusiistic people attest their admiration of the "March King" and his famous corps. The cercerts in this city at the Grana tonight

unquestionaply be the most enjoyaple ousa has ever given nere. Inere is little doubt that the people to whom music is a pastime like sousa. He takes you trom "Tannhauser" to "Sweet marie" by most bewitching transitions. The programmes are arranged in such way as to please the greatest number of

the people. In the course of each concert Sousa provides a sufficient quantity of the cassical to satisfy the cultivated musical ear, yet not so much of it as to pail upon he uncultured taste. Then he furnishes what is generally termed popular music to e delight of the masses, but not in quantities that weary ears that listen for a higher grade. Popular music is given ew beauty and serious composition are so artistically rendered that their beauty is The programme for tonight is given be

Overture—"Grand Festival"—Leutner. Prelude to "Lonengrin"—Wagner. Fluegethorn Solo—"Werner's Farewell"— (Trumpeter of Sakingen)—Herr Franz

fell. Entr' Acte-"The Cricket on the Hearth" new)—Joldmark. Caprice—"Robin and Wren"—Kling. Soprano Solo—"Se Saron Rose"—Arditi, Irs. Elizabeth Northrop.

Gavotte in Ancient Style-(new), Sgam-

March-"El Capitan"—Sousa. Violin Solo-"Ballade et Polonalse"— Tieuxtemps, Miss Martina Johnstone. Suite-"Pictures from Naples"—Masse-

### A BIG SHOW IS COMING.

The Liliputians Will Be at the Lyceum This Week.

The engagement of the Liliputians at the Lyceum Lext Thursday and Friday premises to be a notable one, as the advance sale of seats goes on rapidly. The vance sale of seats goes on rapidly. The outlook so far is that there will not be one seat left for the opening performance Thursday night. All day Saturday Treasurer Leoney, of the Lyccum, was kept busy selling seats for this magnificent attraction. The following is the opinof Allen Daie, America's greatest dra-

ion of Allen Daie, America's greatest dramatic critic:

"These jolly little frisky, elf-like comediars, known as the Liliputians, who have endeared themselves allke to the English and German theater goers of New York, returned to this city last night and began a sojourn at the good oid Star theater. Absence had evidently made the metropolitan heart grow fonder, for the Liliputians, received, a "right down regular royal" welcorae. They have been abroad for a year. They left this country just as a note of weariness was being heard. They withdrew at the critical, necessary time, and have come back to find that their popularity is still unimpaired and verdant.

"A performance that has shap, vim and Lerve enough to absorb the attention of the juvenile element deserves to be partonized by those who are responsible for that juvenile element."

tronized by those who are responsible for that juvenile element.

"The best part about the whole thing is that you needn't bother in the least about the story. I have tried half a dozen times to see if it were possible to make a coherent narrative of the quipperies induged in by the Liliputians. I made another effort last night, and read sixteen pages of a drap book that was handed means of a drap book that was handed means of the state of the pages of a drap book that was handed means of the state of the s

Take my advice, and don't do likewise. It is quite useless.

"The musical features are perhaps less brilliant than of yore. The Lliiputians do a Hebrew topical song that is fairly enjoyable and a dude song that is better. There are trios and duets and solos galore, but they are none of them very distinctive. The little folks, however, are so much in earnest. They are insistently alert, and they put so much 'ginger' into their smallest contributions that it is quite impossible to cavil at anything offered. Most of the 'comic opera' shows now in town might get hints from the doings at the Star theater; each comedian doings at the Star theater; each comedian might obtain a wrinkle from Ebert on the almost lost art of how to be funny without being vulgar. Francis Wilson and Jefferson de Angelis should take a peep, at Zink and Ebert, and learn the value of facial expression. These tiny countenances depict all the mirthful emotions, and do it with the utmost facility and grace."

The Liliputians, which come to the Lyceum Thursday, is without doubt the largest company on the road. To give an idea of the size of the troup, it requires an army of fifty-one men to handle the properties from the time the cur-tain goes up until it falls on the last act. In addition to the twelve Liliputians there are 100 others in the company, and the railroad fare from Atlanta to Savannah is more than \$1,500, as the company travels in a special train, and each performance costs the manage-

considerably above \$1,000. The spectacular production of "Merry ramps" consists of four acts with eleven tableaux, which is far superior to former plays. The engagement of two nights and matinee should easily bring out the standing-room-only sign at each per-

Maggie Cline Coming.

There is but one Maggie Cline, and all her admirers will be glad to know that she s to come to the Grand Wednesday even is to come to the Grand wednesday even-ing in her new play, written by Clay M. Greene and Ben Teal, entitled "On Broad-way." Miss Cline is the heroine of the play who wears gorgeous gowns, but these facts do not prevent her from singing some of her old songs and some new ones. She will have the assistance of John G. Sparks, the well-known comedian who was connected with the Harrigan and Rich and Harris forces for years, and a company selected especially for the parts they are called upon to play.

The "Lady Slavey." "Lady Slavey," with its wealth of pretty girls, bright music, bewitching ballets, gor-geous scenery and funny comedians, is ar-ranged for next week at the Grand.

"Lady Slavy" made the greatest hit at ne Casino since the days of "Erminie." and its approaching engagement here will be looked forward to with more than ordinary pleasure.
It is a little on the order of "In Gay New York." but the music and the entire pro-duction are far superior to any of the

Flora Staniford at the Columbia The Flora Staniford Company, a com pany playing at popular prices, and which is considered the very best of the reper-

toire organizations, will be seen all this toire organizations, will be seen all this week at the Columbia theater. The bill tenight will be "A Soldier's Sweetheart," a comedy drama full of strong elimaxes and wholesome comedy. At this performance ladies will be admitted free, provided the usual conditions of an except with paid ticket are observed. Matiness are announced for Wednesday and Saturday.

RAGSDALE WAS DISCHARGED. Evidence Not Sufficient To Commit the Defendant.

Chattanooga, Tenn., January 10.—(Special.)—The trial justice before whom were heard the charges of embezzlement preferred by City Ticket Agent S. E. Howell, of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, against his former assistent. Ben F. Ragsdale, yesterday rendered a decision discharging the defendant, the said tonight that an indictment

# **ELECTORS TO YOTE** AT NOON TODAY

Electoral College Will Convene at 12 O'Clock at the Capitel.

THE SESSION WILL BE SHORT

President and Vice President To Be Voted For.

MESSENGER WILL THEN BE ELECTED

Electors Will Cast the Vote of the State for the National Democratic Ticket.

The electoral college of Georgia meets today at high noon in the state capitol and the democratic vote for president and vice president will be cast by the thirteen electors who have been appointed for that pur-

The college will be called to order at 12

o'clock and the first business to be given

of a president of the college. When this is done, a secretary will be selected and then will follow the election of a messenger, whose duty it shall be to bear the vote to the president of the senate in Washington. president of the college must be elected from one of the number, but the secretary will be a gentleman who is not member of the college. Indications now point to the election of Colonel Edwards, of Forsyth, as secretary, but other candidates may develop this morning who have not

For the position of messenger there are number of candidates. Mr. William Kersh is a candidate and his name is being active ly urged for the office by his friends. Mr. M.C. Cahanise of Forsyth is also a candidate. Mr. W. O. Mitchell, of DeKalb, is in the race. Editor Trox Bankston, of Ringgold, is among the list of candidates that has been announced. Colonei W. D. Barker, of Rutledge, is before the college for election and many others are in the race.

yet been announced.

Editor Revill. of Greenville, was a car didate, but it is quite probable that he is not in the race any longer, as he has received his appointment under the governor

The state electors, thirteen in number, ar James W. Robertson, J. J. Hunt. Phil P. Johnson, George Bright, J. J. Bull, L. L. Middlebrooks, Roland Ellis, R. M. W. Glenn, J. M. Smith, William I. Pike, E. P. Davis and A. F. Day.

When the officers of the college are elected the vote will the be cast by the electors on behalf of the state of Georgia. There will be two ballots-one for president. William Jennings Bryan, and one for vice president, Arthur Sewall. The ballots will be placed in a hat which will be passed around the group, and when all have voted the secretary will announce the result.

Three copies of the result of the vote will

e made. One copy, which will be sealed p and addressed to the president of the nited States senate, will be entrusted to the messenger, who will carry it to Washington and deliver it to the vic the senate. The third copy will to Judge Newman, of the federal circui court, and will be placed on record in the

When this is done the college will have completed its work and will adjourn. The body will be in session but a short time it is thought, as the elections will be speed fly made and but a minute or two will be required to cast the vote.

Hon. E. P. Davis, from the tenth district and Hon. R. M. W. Glenn, from the seventh district, arrived last night and are stopping at the Kimball. The other elec-The electors are to receive the sum of \$50 and 10 cents mileage from the state for the performance of this duty. Recently the remuneration has been greatly decreased, as in former years a state elector received three or four times this mount, being allowed per diem in addition to 25 cents mile-

GEORGIA BANKS ARE SOLID.

PRESIDENT OF TWENTY-SEVEN SAYS THEY ARE PAYING.

Returning Better Dividends to Stockholders Than Almost Any Class of Investment.

Mr. W. S. Witham, the Atlanta financier who enjoys the distinction of being president of more banks than any other man, perhaps, in the whole world, is emphatically of the opinion that the smaller banking institutions of this state are weathering the financial storms better than the larger banks of the large cities.

Mr. Witham is president of twenty-seven Georgia banks, most of them located in the small towns of the state, and he says they are all making money. While big institutions are crushing to pieces in Chicago, St. Paul and elsewhere, he says, these small institutions are not suffering at all, but are going right shead paying good dividends to their stockholders. Mr. Witham is not president of all these banking institutions in his own individual right, but holds this position by virtue of his connection with large company which devotes its attention to these smaller banking industries This company secures a controlling share of the bank stock, the merchants and other business men of the place holding the rest, and Mr. Witham is elected president. These banks are scattered all over the state and all are thriving. Mr. Witham has just returned from a visit to many o them and he says that while the financial storms are causing wreck and ruin else where these little banks are going right where these little banks are going right ahead and are thriving. The Tifton bank last week decared a dividend of 8 per cent and the bank at Louisville declared a 20 per cent dividend. The net earnings of the Tennille bank for twelve months past was 25 per ent, and an equally good showing was made by the other institutions.

Mr. Withamhas made a particular study.

Mr. Withamhas made a particular study of this class if banking and his observa-tions on this line are of no small value. In speaking of the matter he said Saturday "There has not been a country bank to fall in the state of Georgia since the close of the war. We have several banks five years old that could pay small dividends

every month n the year.
"Three rules render the country bank, if observed, unireakable. The cashier is bonded for more money than he has access to by a gualanty company. All loans are made by written consent of the board of directors of the cashier. Protection against burgary consists of the best chrome steel and guarded by tripie time locks. All banks that have ever failed went by one of the three of the above routes being left onen. If these are kent routes being eft open. If these are kept closed, the balk is unbreakable.
"We have over twenty-five banks and there is no connection whatever between them. They are not a chain of banks. Each stands on its own charter and is governed by its own board of directors, being entirely separate and distinct from all others. We are simply majority stockholders in each. Being foreign stockholders with no ax to grind, the minority stockholders have perfect protection."

WILLIE WOLFSOHN TO SEEK RE-DRESS THROUGH THE COURTS.

Says He Will Hold the Wellhouses Accountable for Certain Allegations Made Against Him.

Willie Wolfsohn, the eighteen-year-old boy who enjoyed high life at the Aragon three weeks, without, he says, being given a chance to pay his board bill, will sue Wellhouse & Sons, where he was employed and the Aragon hotel company for heavy damages for putting him in jail and causng such unenviable notoriety. The boy has employed Colonel Hamil-

on Douglas as his attorney.

He has been in jail several days unable to give bond. Several parties who know the boy have promised to save him, if po ble, from further ignominy, but all of friends seem to have deserted him, as no one has come to his rescue Wolfsohn claims he went to the Aragor

senting himself in the least. He claimed he was in the employ of Wellho worked seven weeks on the road on commission, and claims to have sold enough goods in that period to net him nearly \$200, none of which, he says, Wellhouse & Sons have ever paid him. Wolfsohn claims he had a perfect right o stop at the Aragon if he wished, and

had the money in view to pay his board. He says that if Wellhouse & Sons had paid him his commission, which he, on several occasions, requested them to do, the board bill of \$70 could have easily been paid and all this humiliation on his part been avoided. Wolfsohn will also claim that the Ara-

gon's action in having him arrested and locked up was prompted by a telephone nessage they received from Mr. Wellhouse stating Wellhouse & Sons did not have Wolfsohn in their employ and that they knew nothing of him. On these grounds he will bring suit against the firm for about \$10,000.

Wolfsohn says he will hit the Aragon people, too. He claims that he explained situation fully to Manager Hickey and on the day he was arrested he told Mr. Hickey he would have the money to pay his bill the very next day. Wolfsohn seems to be greatly humiliated over his present unfortunate predicament. By the kindness of Jailer Miller he is not locked n the rock with the other prisoners, bu is allowed the freedom of the corridors and offices in the capacity of a trusty.

The damage suits will probably not be filed until Wolfsohn's case is disposed of

COLUMBUS WILL BE IN IT. SOUTHEASTERN LEAGUE GETS THE CONTRACT.

President Bosche Closed the Deal with the Columbus People Yesterday and Things Look Promising.

Columbus will certainly be in the new Southeastern Baseball League. The final agreements and contracts were signed in Columbus yesterday, and the league will now include that city.

Mr. R. C. Bosche, president of the league, went down to Columbus yesterday morning and he closed up the deal with the people of that city who want baseball this ummer, Satisfactory arrangements were made, and President Bosche returned home last night pleased with his day's work.

Mr. Bosche says the people of Columbus are anxious for ball, and that the game will be popular there. The league is in a healthy condition, and everything looks promising for the coming season. All of the clubs are signing terms, and practice games will commence in the early spring

### THE PASSING THRONG.

Mr. F. W. Larned, a prominent attorney of Wilkesbarre, Pa., is a guest of the Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Batt, who are nnected with the De Soto hotel, of Savannah, are stopping at the Aragon.

in the city yesterday and will remain for several days. Mr. Charles Dexter Miller, a man largely identified with the New York business cin-

the attorney general of this state, arrived

cles, is in the city. Mr. C. H. Phinizy, of Athens, is a guest

Mrs. E. L. Somers and her son. Mr. Paul Somers, are registered at the Aragon. Mrs.

Somers is a prominent society woman of Chicago and is on her way to Florida, where she will spend the winter. Mr. E. F. Cunningham, a prominent at-

torney of Savannah, arrived in the city yesterday and will be here for several

Mr. I. A. Setze, of Augusta, came up yesterday for a short visit. Mr. Thomas C. Ward, the well-known

hotel man, is in city and is registered at the Aragon. He is on his way to West Palm Beach, Fla., where he will be connected with the Royal Poinciana. Nineteen Gamblers Caught.

Just before day yesterday morning Policemen Beavers, Sheridan and Thompson raided two negro gambling dens and capured nineteen prisoners and locked them

# DREW REAL BLOOD FROM LACKAYE

HE WANTS HEAVY DAMAGES. A Scene That Was Too Real in Wilton

IN ACT SECOND, "CAPT. BOB"

Star Snatches a Knife from Villain and It Pierces His Foot.

FINISHED TWO ACTS IN INTENSE AGONY

The Play Went on, Though, and the Audience Never Knew-"Dr. Belgraff" Badly Crippled.

aturday night were enjoying Wilton Lackaye's performance of "Captain Bob," few, of any, off the stage knew that the eminent actor's right foot was pierced through by a long ugly knife during a scene in the second act, and that he continued his role for the remaining two acts in intense agony.

n his foot and his little toe was almost severed, the play went on without interruption, Lackage not even exhibiting a no ticeable change of countenance. Several actors were on the stage at the time, but so perfect was the star's composure, they

act. The interest of the play was at a high pitch. The scene was rugged-in the country near an old mill. Orrin Stanley had been hunting for the man who had betrayed his sister, bent on killing him or compelling him to right her wrong by marriage.

his deadly foe, Arthur Norton, near this old mill. He advanced to him demanding him to make reparation for his crime. Or Norton's refusal in rough terms, Stanley drew his knife, and rushed toward his victim.

Capain Bob, the role played by Lackaye, happened to be in a neighboring blacksmith shop having his carriage repaired. He heard the war of words be ween the two men, and bent on preventing serious conflict, rushed on the scene, a's Stanley was about to strike Norton to

Captain Bob grabbed Stanley's arm, al

Stanley lost his grip on the deadly weapon and it fell quivering to the floor, the sharp end of the blade passing through Lackaye's foot, holding the member fast to the floor. From an intense throb of pain, the acto knew immediately what had happened. Artist that he is, however, he never even winced, and finished his sentence without destroying the thrilling climax.

He stood there with the knife sticking in his foot fully a minute. His suffering was fearful. Then stooping down, he jerked the weapon out of the wound and placed the knife, with the blood dripping off the end of the blade, behind him, so that the audience might not know what had happened. It was then thirty mirutes before the

mained on the stage, without even betraying the slightest limp, although at every step the blood spurted from the hole in the top of his shoe, leaving red stains on the carpet.

ing room, where he was attended by several of his company. Great care was taken to keep the news from Mrs. Lackave. who had a part in the play, but was not on the stage when the accident occurred. Before the third act a short consultation was held in Lackaye's dressing room. Several members of his company wanted him to go to his hotel without finishing the performance. He would not hear to it. Wiping the blood off his foot as best he could, and not daring to take off his boot, lest he could not put it back on his swollen foot, he hobbled to the wings again, and ordered the curtain rung up

on the third act. Dr. W. A. Terrell, who is a brother of He went through his part for another hour, suffering horrible agony, but not allowing his artistic self to surrender to the physical. The play went with its usual dash and brilliancy, the audience not having the slightest intimation of what had happened. The people thought the fall of the knife was premeditated, and so it was but the weapon was never simed for

> After the final scene the star had to be assisted to his dressing room, faint and exhausted. Dr. Bizzell, who had been hastily summoned, was in waiting. The actor's boot had to be cut from his foot, to such proportions had the swollen. The knife was found to have gone clear through the flesh, narrowly missing the bones, and making a frightful wound. After the foot had been dressed Lackaye was taken to his apartments in the Aragon, where he at once retired, but slept but mule on account of the acute

# SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE OF: SHOES!

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JOHN M. MOORE.

Lackaye's Play.

While the large audience at the Grand

Although a gash an inch long was cut

knew nothing of the accident until the It was about the middle of the second

The justly enraged young brother met

Pierced the Foot Through.

As the curtain fell on the climax of the second act Lackaye hobbled to his dress-

Lackaye's foot.

Yesterday morning he was unable to walk, and did not rise until the afternoon, when he was hardly able to hobble about the hotel with the aid of walking sticks. When seen yesterday afternoon by a Constitution man he was very pale, but explained the cause of the accident. "The accident," said he, "was Stanley"

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fault. The knife was intended to fall to the floor, but he should have held the blade to one side, so that it would have fallen and stuck in the floor in front of me; but instead, he pointed the blade straight at my foot, resulting very seriously for me, I assure you."

When asked as to the size of the knife. Mr. Lackaye said it was about a foot long and an inch wide, and very sharp. He stated he never should have used such a dangerous implement in the scene, and that afterwards there would be no danger of a repetition, as a weapon somewhat less realistic would be brought into play.

Mr. Lackaye and company leave this morning for Birmingham, where he appears in "Dr. Belgraff" tonight. He was not sure yesterday afternoon whether he would be able to go on tonight, but was rather inclined to think he would

A SUNDAY WITH THE DOGS.

NO VISITORS WERE ALLOWED TO SEE THEM YESTERDAY. But They Were There All the Same

and Made Themselves Heard.

Show Closes Thursday. Although no visitor was allowed inside of the dog and poultry show yesterday the animals were there in full force. They seemed to feel that something was wrong and they doubtless missed the

crowd that throughout the week had bee gazing at them. Yesterday morning while the church bells were ringing the dogs eined in the chorus and raised their ve discordant howls when they heard the The dogs that are in the show are certainly beautiful animals. The large, expressive eyes of the St. Bernard and the keen eyes of the fox hounds are both to

be seen, and they both have their admirers. It is hard to believe that so many beautiful dogs are in this city. They are kept their kennels away from the public and are rarely ever seen on the streets. But they are here and on special occa-sions, such as the present one, they are prought out for inspection The chicken fanciers are also represent ed at the show. On the second floor of the building are to be found some of the finest and prettlest birds that can be so

n any part of the world, and their owner and of them. The show will continu until next Thursday, and if the crowds are as large this week as they were during the past the management will feel more than satisfied. SHERIFF HAS TIN PLATE WORKS

Was Sold at Less Than One-Half Cost

of Establishing. Chicago, January 10.—A special from Montpelier, Ind., says that the Montpelier sheet and tin plate mills were sold yes-terday by the sheriff to the American Tin Plate Company, of Elwood, for \$50,000, C. H. Neil, of Columbus, O., representing the Elwood syndicate, being the only bidder. The figure is considered remarkably low, as he plant was appraised recently at ne year since at a cost of over \$125,000. The mills are finely equipped and will be made ready to start January 25th. They will give employment to 150 men. The sale was to atisfy heavy mortgages held by Nell Bros.,

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um and all forms of adulteration Royal Baking Powder Co., New York, ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NEW SUBURB TO BE LOCATED. It Will Be Situated on the Jonesbore

Road. A new suburb will be located at the intersection of the Jonesboro road with the Lakewood car line. It is just three miles from the city and is being built by New York York and Washington capital. The property is now being cleared, the streets are being made and improved and it is

thought that everything will be in readiness before many days elapse.
The most remarkable feature of the whole proposed plan is the inducements

the property. A 5-cent street car fare is guaranteed to the purchasers of the property and each person who buys one of the The sale of property will begin on next Wednesday and will be in charge of Mr. Wednesday and will be in charge of Mr. S. B. Turman, No. 8 Wall street. Free electric car tickets may be obtained at the office of the company on and after Wednesday. The plan of the sale is a novel one and while it has never been ried in the south, has been found to

THREE MEN HOLD UP A HOUSE. Highwaymen Rob a Crowded Saloon

work well in the northern cities

in Chicago. Chicago, January 19.—Three men, armed with revolvers, held up a saloon on State street at 8:30 o'clock last night, knocked the proprietor unconscious, robbed the The saloon was well filled with customers

when the highwaymen walked up to the bar and ordered the proprietor, Alexander Lewis, to hand over the contents of the money drawer. Lewis refused and was reaching under on the back of the head with a revolver and fell to the floor. One of quickly ran behind the bar and emptied the contents of the drawer, \$50, into a little

sack, while the other two kept the crowd from giving the alarm.

The men backed out slowly and, mingling with the throng on the busiest part of Chicago's bowery, made their escape.

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# TO ARGUE MOTION FOR TAYLOR DELK

Judge Marcus Beck Will Hear Argument This Afternoon.

NEW TRIAL IS BADLY WANTED

Counsel for the Condemned Man Say They Are Confident.

WILL PRESENT SENSATIONAL AFFIDAVITS

Change of Venue Will Be Asked for and Insisted Upon on Account of Public Sentiment.

A motion for new trial will be argued before Judge Marcus Beck this afternoon by the attorneys of Taylor Delk and every effort will be made to secure for the prisoner another chance for life. The hearing will be in Atlanta.

Many affidavits have been secured that will be presented today and the attorreys say the argument will be so strong and of such a convincing nature that it will be impossible for Judge Beck to rethe motion for the new trial that is

At the hearing this afternoon it will be shown that much valuable testimony was climinated at the trial which should have first time made public. These affidavits have been secured from various citizens of Pike county, and are said to contain many spicy charges relating to the trial which has been which has now become famous.

One of the principle arguments in favor of the new trial will be the question re-garding the testimony that was to show that Taylor Delk was absent from his home at the time Sheriff Guinn was killed. This testimony was overruled by Judge Beck, and the attorneys claim it was very important in its nature and should have

been given to the jury.

One of the most sensational affidavits to be presented is that which charges that a member of the jury which convicted Delk was a relative of Sheriff Guinn. This composed the jury was a fourth cousing of the murdered officer, and although the

fourth cousins was recognized in law.
"I am quite sure the juror intended no wrong." says Attorney Hayden, "as he thought the relationship was too far removed to be of any moment, but in this opinion he was mistaken, as the law takes cognizance of relationship including the ninth generation, and a fourth cousin is only the seventh generation. We have secured an affidavit to this fact, and it will be tendered with other affi-davits that we consider to be equally as

strong as this.

"I am certain that a new trial will be granted, for we have too much on cur side that will be shown at the hearing to allow the judge to refuse the motion. When Delk was tried there was a balliff at every door of the courthouse and you will remember what a narrow escape the prisoner had from a mob on the night he was convicted. It was necessary for the prisoneric testing the strong transfer of the prisoner had from a mob on the night he was convicted. It was necessary for the pris-oner to be carried from the courthouse under a heavy guard. This shows that ex-citement and public scattment were at a white heat and it was impossible unde circumstances for justice to be given

All of the argument in the case will be made this afternoon, but it is not known as yet whether Judge Beck will announce his decision or reserve it until he can carefully review the evidence and affidavits at leisure.

ROCK QUARRY HANDS FIGHT Italians and Americans Engage in

· Desperate Battle. bloody fight between Italians and Amerleans at a rock quarry on the Texas and Midland railway six miles south of this city yesterday. About twenty-five men on

each side were engaged.

Clubs, shovels and knives were freely used, and men were knocked down, bruised and slashed. Venoto Monica, an Italian, received wounds which will cause his death. Several other Italians received serious inuries. Messengers were sent to other Italian camps for reinforcements, and fifty more men were expected to arrive at the quarry last night.

The Americans purchased several winchesters here last evening and returned to

Sheriff Hammond last night sent several deputies to the scene to preserve peace if

SAYS IRELAND NOT OVERTAXED. Balfour Discusses the Taxation Question.

London, January in All the prominent politicians who are making speeches throughout the country take occasion to treat at more or less length of the Irish taxation question, which threatens to cause the government considerable annoyance at

on the subject is the Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury and gov-ernment leader in the house of commons. He addressed his constituents in Manchester tonight and in the course of his reovertaxed, quoting from statistics to prove

He declared that Ireland's only hope of

Boy Accidentally Shot.

Mrs. A. H. Crausby, of 158 Kerr St., to a small lump in her breast, but

ILRED BY into a cancer of the most malignant type. The best physicians in New York treated her, and fin-

ally declared her case hopeless. As a last resort, S. S. S. was given, and an immediate improvement retles cured her completely, and no sign of the disease has returned for ten years.

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# Woman and Society

ANNUAL DESIGNATION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF THE PA

"It's uscless, sir." the maiden said,
With frigid dignity:
"You must have rodents in your head
To think of wedding me!
You merit some supreme dislike
By suing thus at random!
You'd better learn to ride a bike
Before you wish a tandem!"

Much interest is being aroused in Atlanta just now in the different patriotic societies. The latest is the Society of Colonial Wars for the masculine descendants of colonial ancestors. The Colonial Dames of America ave only a "corporal guard" membership ere, as the rules admitting members are uite rigid, although there are many ladies Atlanta who have every right to memership. The society of Children of the Revolu

tion in Atlanta is rapidly increasing in membership. Among the latest members are the little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. High, the youngest of whom, Doro-thy Madison High, a lovely little maid of three years, was as much interested in her numerous application papers as any grown-up "daughter" or "dame." Her list of aneestors is quite the longest of any member as yet. Both on her father's and mother's side of the house a long line of ancestors, cavalier and Furitan, who since earliest colonial times have been distinguished for

patriotic service, civil and military. The many friends of Mrs. D. R. Wilder will be glad to know that she is convalescing, after being confined to her room ten days with la grippe.

Saturday evening in the woman's club rooms the Derthick Musical Club held a meeting for organization, but owing to a mistake in announcement so few of the members were present that Miss French The place of meeting will be announced

Among the enrolled members are some of Atlanta's representative musicians. Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan, Mr. Victor Smith, Mrs. Alex Smith, Professor Randegger, Mr. and Mrs. Gippert, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. J. K. Ottley, Mr. Owens, Mr. Mayer, Mr.

Beatty and Mr. Weisenfeld. There are already formed in Georgia five clubs. They are at Macon, Savannah, Ath-ens, Columbus and Americus, while Nashville, Knoxvile and Chattanooga have

their sections.

The work of the club comprises the study of three schools of music, and the literature is of the masters and their works. Such contributors head the list as Mathews Sherwood, Leitling, Calvin, Cady and Gaddell, of London. The work to be covered by the club is from Bach to Paderewski, inclusive. It comprises 400 works by lifty-six authors. six authors.

.. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crosby, of Boston Mass., who have been some weeks in At-lanta, leave on Wednesday for Madison, Ga., where they will spend the remainder

Miss Mary Berry, of Rome, who has been visiting Miss Edith Carver, of Capitol avenue, will return the first of the week. Miss Lillian Clark, the talented soprand

Mrs. Gamaliel Berger, of Denver, who for the past year has been in Atlanta, left Saturday for Madison, Ga., which place she

will make her future home. Miss Louise Bell, of St. Augustine, Fla., is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Addison Whitcomb, one of Indiana's rominent women, is spending the winter in Atlanta.

Miss Mary Kernodle, the charming daughter of Mr. Bud Kernodle, has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Columbus.

Mr. T. J. Felder, of New York, is in the Mr. T. J. Few days

The regular meeting of the Atlanta Wonan's Club will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and all members are invited c attend. The meeting will be in the charge of Mrs. Pattillo, chairman of the

been formally announced. Miss Menko is a daughter of Mrs. Julius Menko, and is a member of one of the which they will return here, where they pioneer families of Atlanta. The young lady is beautiful in person, lovely in character, possessing all the graces that adora true womanhood. Mr. Joel is widely known, having in charge the business of E. M. Bass & Co., of this city.

A delightful card party was given on Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Dykeman, on Georgia avenue. There were present Colonel L. M. Terreli and wife. Professor and Mrs. J. Colton Lynes, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Moran, Mrs. McArthur, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Frank Wheat Delightful refreshments. Delightful refreshments were

There will be a meeting of the Atlanta Kindergarten Association at the residence of Mrs. N. J. Hammond at 11 o'clock this

The annual meeting of the Woman's Re-lief Corps, auxiliary of the O. M. Mitchel post, was held at the residence of Mrs. W. M. Jordan, on Jackson street, ursday afternoon, with a large attend-

The following officers were elected for the ar: Mrs. J. R. Kling, president; Mrs. L. Morehead, vice president; Mrs. Kate forthrop, secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth War-

purpose of the ladies to adopt olonial history for their study during the

Mr. Frank Hawkins has returned from a visit to his old home in Mississippi.

Bostwick, Ga., January 10.—(Special.)—Mr. M. T. Nunnally and Mrs. Anna E. Hardman were happily married last Wednesday at 4 p. m. at Rehoboth, Ga., three miles from this place. Rev. J. T. Lowe officiating. Mr. Nunnally is a son of ex-Representative John Nunnally. Mrs. ex-Representative John Nunnally Nunnally is a daughter of Mr. G. B. Bost wick, of this county.

Brunswick, Ga., January 10.—(Special.)—Messrs. J. C. Stiles and H. F. dullignon entertained a party of friends Monday night at whist.

N. Emanuel, J. W. Bennett. George Smith C. D. Parker, Newton Woodworth, H. B. Maxey, H. H. Raymond, E. D. Walter, M. Mayre.

1. Mayre. A party of young people enjoyed a ten-nile straw ride to Sterling Station and ack on Tuesday evening. The occasion was a Christmas tree entertainment given by Miss Eva Myddleton to her school children. Those in the party were Misses Lizzie Deming, Dorothy Berrie, Lilly Marain, Maida McDonald, Madeline Butts Willie Barkuloo, Sammie Myddleton, Ernes-tine Butts, Rev. Robert Campbell Gilmore, Messrs. George Cook, Gus Myddleton, C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hopkins entertaind members of the Ladies' Card Club and their centlemen friends Tuesday evening. The guests were Misses Lula Baker, Lilla Bur roughs, Annie Smith, Ella Symons, Agnes Dexter, Mrs. Beldon. Messrs, Howard Dex-ter, Howard Smith, Ed Elliot, H. F. du-Bignon, Deldon W. Calesberry, Newton Woodsworth. The members present were Mesdames J. W. Wood, R. L. Branham, A. C. Banks, Misses Nettle Brantley and Flor-ence Colesberry, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Blain, Mesdames and Messrs. Hopkins, Barkuloo,

THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF T DeVoe, Caney, Candler, Elliot, Fengar, Dyer, Parker, Stiles, Mason.

The Marine band concert Wednesday night was participated in by Mesdames A. J. Crovatt, H. H. Raymond, A. B. Rowe, E. F. Cook, J. B. Wright, Miss Winter, Dyer, Parker, Stiles, Mason.

Messrs. Overton, Tupper, Candler, Wood, Smith and Master Julian Isaacs. Miss Mai King and Mrs. H. B. Maxey entertained the Arcadia Club on Wedneslay atternoon. Those present were Mes-lay atternoon. Those present were Mes-lames F. D. Aiken, H. M. Branham, W. F. Parker, J. C. Stiles, J. W. Bennett, Misses Madeline Butts, Retta 'McCullough, losephine Burroughs, Ernestine Butts, Jo-lephine duBignon, Lilla Burroughs, Agnes Overter, Legantte, Colson, Constance Butts. Jeanette Colson, Constance Butts

Social Club Wednesday afternoon. Sophie Brown, of New York, was the club's

The members present were Mesdames H. H. Raymond, Blanton, Wood, Whitfield, Tupper, Dyer, Caney, DeVoe, Verdery, Sparks, Atkinson, Mabry. The Ladies' Card Club was entertained

Thursday evening by Mrs. W. H. Dyer. Guests of the club were Mrs. T. M. Flem-ing, J. W. Bennett, P. H. Mabry, Misses Lula Baker, Lilla Bourroughs, Mamie Burroughs. Members present were Mesdames Wood, Hopkins, Parker, Stiles. Mason, Blain, Barkuloo, Caney, Candler, Elliot, Branham, Fengar, Misses Colesberry and

Edwin Brobston tendered an oyster roast and drive complimentary to Messrs, J. B. S. Thompson and S. H. Hardwick, of Atlanta, Friday afternoon, Other members of the party were Colonel C. P. Goodyear, Judge S. C. Atkinson, Dr. J. M. Madden, Mr. C. W. Deming. Mr. C. W. Deming. r. Frank M. Dart, Misses Evic and

May Dart are visiting relatives in Doug-Miss Elizabeth Hazelhurst, of Live Oak, Fla., is visiting Mrs. William Nightengale. Misses Ethel Downing, Monroe Cargyle and Julia Jelks, of Arkansas, three bright participants in this season's gayetles, are confined to their homes by la grippe.

Miss Edna Penniman is seriously ill-and ter condition has been alarming to many dge and Mrs. John C. Lehman leave Monday night for a few days' visit to At-

West Point, Ga., January 10.-(Special.)-Mr. W. Scott Baker and Miss Belle Laner were married last Wednesday evening t the Frst Methodist church in the pres-nce of the large number of friends. The hurch was beautifully decorated with rare flowers and plants and presented a handsome appearance. As the strains of Men-delsshon's wedding march began the bridesisle and took positions on either side of the altar. The bridesmaids were gowned in dainty creations of pink and blue. The organist, Miss Barns, was assisted by Mrs Hutchinson, of LaGrange, vocalist, and Professor Mike Rose's orchestra, of Columbus, making the music a special and im-pertant feature of the occasion. The ush-ers were R. C. Freeman, J. Smith Lanier, F. Johnson and Will Lanier. The bride as escorted by her brother, Mr. Phil Lanier, and Miss Bessie Lanier was maid of honor. Mr. Arthur M. Baker was the room's best man. The attendants were Hiss Lulah Slaten, of Atlanta; Miss Belah Hill, of Americus; Miss Carrie Milton, Miss Jet Lanier, Miss Sarah Little, Miss Sarah Craft, Miss Marion Rood, Miss Julia Tur ner, Mrs. J. S. Horsley, Jr., Miss Gabriella Lanter, Messrs. A. F. Johnson, D. S. Boyd, of Atlanta, Dr. D. B. Bennett, Jim Lanie Dr. A. F. Harrington, Steve Thornton, Herace Lanier, Dr. J. J. Crawford, Dr. J. S. Horsley, Jr., and F. M. Stewart, of At-

The ceremony was performed by Dr. A. G. Thomas, of Atlanta. The bride looked lovely in her regal brunette beauty. After he marriage the guests repaired to the ome of the bride's parents, which was rowded with guests from this and other cities, and the congratulations and sub-stantial evidences of regard and remem-Mrs. Lanier was assisted in receiving her guests by her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Branson, of Barnesville.

The engagement of Mr. B. F. Joel and Miss Nell Joseph, of Columbus, was Miss Ella Menko, both of this city, has among the visiting guests.

TO ESTABLISH CENSUS BUREAU Senate Committee Will Prepare a Bill This Session.

Washington, January 10.—The senat committee on the census had before it yes erday Carroll D. Wright, acting superin endent of the eleventh census during the close of its work and the present commis-doner of labor, for the purpose of explaining his plan for a permanent census

frame a bill for action at this session of congress, if possible, providing for the establishment of a permanent census bureau. The details of the work will be rovided for in a bill to be passed during

The committee seeks this early action so that the preparations for the twelfth cen-sus may be commenced in good time and speedily than has heretofore been the

BIG ASHLAND COMPANY FAILS. Shores & Son Go to the Wall, Assigning To an Ex-Governor.

Ashland, Wis., January 10.-Because n application made yesterday in the A. Shores and his son, E. A. Shores, Jr. made a personal assignment this mor to ex-Governor Upham in the sum of \$200,000.

The Shores Lumber company is the largest in this city, owning a fleet of boats.

Weak and Sickly,

the complexion. For sale everywhere THE DEED OF A HIGHWAYMAN

Negro Assaults a Tinner on His Way Home in Chattanooga. Chattanooga, Tenn., January 10.—(Specia.) W. S. Haggard, a tinner, was beaten into insensibility last night by a negro highway-

man while on his way home from his Haggard had resisted and the negro rould have doubtless murdered him, but passer frightened the footpad away. Hag-ard was seriously injured, but will re-over. cover.

The officers are after the highwayman with dogs. The negro was thought to be Monroe Ivy, the outlaw.

OKLAHOMA CONCERN GOES UP. O. A Mitzcher & Co. Closed by the the First National Bank,

Oklahema, O. T., January 10.—The dry goods and clothing firm of O. A. Mitzcher & Co., of this city, was closed yesterday by the First National bank under a chattel mortgage given to protect .creditors in general. No statement of assets and llabilities is given out. The concern was the largest of its kind in Oklahoma.

# CITY WILL NOT BUY

Moore-Marsh Building Not Likely To Be Bought for a City Hall.

MR. COLLIER GIVES HIS VIEWS

Says City Offices Will Probably Remain Where They Are.

MR. BRAPER ELABORATES HIS PROPOSITION

He Shows How the Purchase of Moore-Marsh Building Would Profit the City-Plans of the Sale.

The city is not likely to purchase the Moore-Marsh building for a city hall this week. It is more than probable that the lease on the present quarters will be renewed if it can be done on satisfactory terms. The city treasury is in such a condition at present that the purchase of a city hall uilding is out of the question.

Mayor Collier stated to a Constitution re porter yesterday afternoon that he did not see how the city could possibly buy a building for the city hall at this time. He said that the fund in the city treasury is so low on account of the reduced tax rate and for other causes that no extra expense can be incurred now.

"I received a letter from Mr. Draper." said Mayor Collier, "suggesting that the Moore-Marsh building would be very suitable for a city hall and that he could probably make acceptable terms on it. This was not a proposition from Mr. Draper, but merely a suggestion. He said that he would accept bonds from the city if the city was in a condition to issue I replied that the city was not in a cond tion to purchase property now. I stated in my letter to him that I did not think payment on property could be made either from the annual income of the city or by issuing bonds, we had a trial before. The people expressed their will or the question by voting against it. To make another trial of it would only result in rouble and would probably be fruitless.

There is still another obstacle in buying the Moore-Marsh building. It would probably require \$100,000 to fit it out properly for a city hall. It is now arranged in the form of a large toom, which would have to be converted into offices. I estimate the sum at \$100,000 because I was told that the owners of the property at one time had in mind to make it an office building and they reckoned the expense of the transformation t this amount.

"In regard to Mr. Draper's letter, how-ever, that will be submitted to the finance-committee, which meets Monday or Tues-The committee on public buildings and grounds, which meets the early part of next week, will settle definitely the city hall matter, and it is likely that no building will be purchased at present. committee reports back to the co

which meets a week from tomorrow "For one reason I am not prepared to say that I would approve of buying the Moore-Marsh building even if the city had the available money, and that is that I should like to see the county and city offices in the same building. There are many others who layor having them together, for there are many advantages courthouse and city hall either on adjoining ots, or better still, in the same building right there the city ought to put it. I by joint ownership or a long lease given by

Mr. W. W. Draper's Views.

Mr. W. W. Draper, one of the executors f the Moore-Marsh estate, is of the city. He was seen by a Constitution reported yesterday and gave his reasons why the city should build a city hall at this time, and he showed in what respect the Moore-Marsh profitable purchase that could be made.

"It is an opportunity that the city may never have to get a centrally located piec of property of the dimensions of the Moore Marsh building. Everyone is aware that there are but few pleces of property of the size of this property anywhere near the heart of the city, held in one interest. And we all know what it is to buy different in-terests of a block of buildings owned by different parties. You will invariably find ome unwilling to sell at all, and those that may sell usually place a higher pro-rata value than would be asked for any one single piece of property of like dimen-sions, etc. For instance, the small frontage on Marietta street, owned by Mrs. Bell, which excludes the light and frontage of what would be a valuable piece of proper-, could it be obtained by the owner of

in the progress of Atlanta that she must taking the past for a criterion, that it should not be postponed, as property has and, in my judgment, will continue to en-hance in value. The rentals paid out by the city in the past years would have bought a home for the city, the enhance-ment of which on almost any piece of prop-

ment of which on almost any piece of property that could be mentioned would have cleared the city of expense.

"I sincerely believe the officials should make extra effort to buy the Moore & Marsh building as it is should the content. Marsh building, as it is about the center of the city and the building is of such a character in size and shape favorable to converting it into the various offices of the city, possibly for the present, giving sufficient space on one floor, making comfortable every department. The balance of the building could be converted into offices, banks, etc., which would no doubt bring sufficient revenue to the city to more than defray the expenses of interest in the pur-chase of the property, and in the judgment of the best judges of real estate that have talked with, the enhancement of this operty for the next ten or twenty years likely to be sufficient to cover the purhase price that it might cost the city. The city having the advantage over an in-dividual of having no taxes to pay, hence would realize the greater profits. I believe present mayor and general council are broad enough in their views to take care of the interests of the city; if they can be backed by the people, who should join in the obtaining of the home for the city officials, whether it be this pie property or some other. I regard it a greatest of folly to be renting and, as it



were, throwing away that much of the peo

Plans of Sale.

The Moore & Marsh building will be sold at public outers to the highest bidder on the premises, Wednesday next, at 12 o'clock. The sale will occur from the outside of the building the sale will occur from the outside of ide of the building if the weather is fair. Should the day be rainy the auction will be held on the inside of the building on the first floor, which can accommodate several thousand people.

The building is located on the corner of

Edgewood avenue and Pryor street. The lot is 177 feet on Pryor street, 118 feet on the north side, 158 feet on the west line, and 63 feet on Edgewood avenue. The property will be sold by the front foot on the Pryor street front. Mr. H. L. Wilson will be the auctioneer.

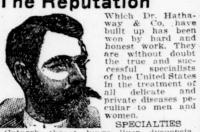
INDIAN APPROPRIATIONS FIXED Committee Secured \$7,465,000, Which Is an Increase.

Washington, January 10.—The committee on Indian affairs of the house has comon Indian affairs of the house has completed the Indian appropriation bill for the coming fiscal year. The measure as agreed to carries an appropriation of \$7,465,000.

An increase of \$200,000 is made in the appropriation for Indian schools, and two new schools—one at Rapid City and one at Chamberlain, S. Da., are established. Provision is made for ratifying treatles with the Shoshone and Turtle bands of Indians, and with the Comanches and Apaches of Oklahoma. The Dawes commission is continued with the same powers and the same appropriation as given herend the same appropriation as given here-

the Cherokee Indians what are known as the "old settlers" claims, amounting to about \$85,000. No change is made in the law regarding

### The Reputation



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confidence, and many other well-known symptoms not necessary to mention here, unfitting one for study, business and enjoyment of life.

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### FUNERAL NOTICE.

WIKLE-The friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. D. Wikle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Yarborough are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. W. S. D. Wikle, from his late residence, 257 North Boulevard, this (Monday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Re-mains will be carried to Cartersville Tuesday morning for interment

Pallbearers will please meet at residence at the appointed time. MADDOCKS-The friends and relat! Mrs Kate M. Maddocks, Mr. William Bonnell and Mrs. H. G. S. Spinks are nvited to attend the funeral of Mrs.

The following genilemen will act as pallbearers and meet at the residence, 368 E. Fair st., at 19:15 a. m.; Joseph Ho-gan, J. L. Peacock, H. T. Wells, W. A. Watson, S. O. Marbut and Ben Morris

### MEETINGS.



A regular convocation of will be held in Masonic hall, corner of Pryor and Hunter streets, at 7 o'clock sharp, this evening. The degrees of mark and pastmaster will be con-ferred. Companions qualified are fraternally invited. Elevator.

LUTHER P. STEPHENS,

ZADOC B. MOON, High Pries

SHERIFF SALES FOR FEBRUARY, 1897

be sold before the courthous city of Atlanta, Fulton county in the first Tuesday in Februar, the legal bours of sale the gia, on the first Tuesday in February next, within the legal hours of saie, the following described property, towit: (Notice of levy served as required by law.)

All that tract of land lying in the southwest corner of land lot No. [9], of the 14th district of Finition county, Georgia, adjoining lands of W. I. Zachery and E. N. Poole and cornering with lands of Poolé, Zachery and Roberts, and running along the line of Hughey's and Zachery's tand 1.408 feet on the west and 1.506 feet on the east line; 219 feet on the south line and 20 feet on the north line, which north line tuns along the center of the Sandtown road; said tract containing about seven and one-quarter acres.

containing about seven and one-quarter acres.

And also that certain other tract of land in said land lot, situated jast below the dam of the pond, and being in size 100 feet by 200 feet, the corner thereof being indicated by stones, and on which is located the tannery recently belonging to the Utoy Manufacturing Company, together with the water privileges forever from said pond, for use in said tannery, which privilege was deeded to said Zachery by A. A. Highey; together with all the improvements on said two tracts of land. Said property being improved. A deed has been recorded in the cierk's office from Gustavus Elbert to Mrs. M. O. Zacherr, reconveying title for purpose of levy and sale.

John W. Nelms, Sheriff. **Heating Stoves** 

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AT YOUR OWN PIICE.

LOST-Pocket-book on car or about the gate of Westview cemetery about 3 p. m. yesterday; finder will be librally rewarded if returned to owner, who an identify it. Mrs. C. H. Hill. 21 W. Bakerst.

TAKEN FROM office of Hotel Lanier, December 27th, one hammerless Parker gun, gauge 12, length 28, wight 7-11. No. 77,000. Reward if returned to B. W. Sperry, Macon, Ga.

STOLEN—\$5 reward given, i, black enamel Frazier bievole: description, gar 88 Frazier bicycle; descripion, gear 68, saddle sags, odd wooden rin, large tubing, model '96. 12 Hunnicutt ave jan 8 3t

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INSTRUCTION. THOROUGH INSTRUCTION-Banjo, gui tar and mandolin; terms reasonable; twenty years' experience. Harry H. Smith, 109 North Pryor St. jan 8-3t

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### PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—Dr. George Brown has removed his office to 104 N. Fryor street, Lowndes building. jans-3t.

PERSONAL—Lumber, shingles, etc., South Georgia Lumber Co., 62 W. Hunter street, Phone 532. jan 3 1m BUSSEY, the old hat man, repairs hats of all kinds for both sexes. 2½ Whitehall street, Atlanta, Ga. novi8-iy

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STILL LOCKED IN STATION SAYS EVERYTHING IS READY OWES THE CITY \$2.50 TAXES HE PASSES THROUGH ATLANTA

Says He Was Only Mad Because He Was Not Apprised of Wedding.

WILL TAKE THE COUPLE TO HIS HOME

Greatly Regrets His Action and Has Sworn Off from Drinking-He Will Be Tried Today.

"I swear to kill my daughter and son-in-law at first sight. I am going to wipe out my whole family worse than Flanagan did the Allens."—C. P. Vaughn, Saturday afternoether.

"I love my daughter better than anything on earth, and am glad she is married to Humphries who is an exceptional young man. I want them to live at my house in future, where I will make life happy for them."—C. P. Vaughn, Sunday afternoon.

Such are the two statements of this erstwhile madman, who has distinguished himself as a new species of father-in-law by chasing his daughter and son-in-lawith a club and gun for two days vowing to kill them at first sight. He is still locked behind the bars at the station This strange inconsistency is the result

of liquor. As Vaughn gets sober his better self is beginning to assert itself, and he swears by all that is holv he has touched his last drop of the fiery fluid which has ught such havoe in his home.

Vaughn seems to deeply regret his con duct Friday and Saturday. He says whisky is the cause of it all, and that he was not responsible for his actions. He denies having chased his daughter with a gun, or that he threatened to repeat Flanagan's work in exterminating his whole family.

Yesterday morning Homer Humphries's brother called on Vaughn at the station house. The two held a long consultation in which Vaughn assured Humphries he would never repeat his actions, and that hereafter he will devote himself to making his daughter happy instead of miserable as he has so well succeeded in doing in

Never Had Any Objection.

Vaughn stated to a Constitution man last night that he never did object to his daughter marrying Humphries; that he was an exceptional young man, and that the reason he was so incensed was because they never let him know where she was after the marriage, so he could congratulate her.

"Yes," said he, "I am heartily ashamed of my work for the last few days, but I could not help it. I just got drunk, and when I am drinking, I get wild, and am not responsible for what I do.

"I love Eula better than anything on earth, and I would be the last man to harm her. I am more than willing to forgive her for not letting me know she was to be married, and as soon as I get out of the station house, tomorrow, I am going to buy her a good trunk, and more than replace all her clothes I burned.

"I will make Eula and her husband to my home and live with me. Humphries is out of a job now, and I cannot stand for my daughter to be separated from me. I make enough to support them both comfortably, They Are Hid in West End.

Last Saturday morning when Humphries and his bride were cozily esconsed at Mrs. Maxwell's home, on Peters street, and they discovered Vaughn knew of their whereabouts, they fled again, and went to the home of Humphries's mother, in West End, where they have been ever since.

It was not until yesterday afterno when the young couple were sure Vaught was safely locked behind the bars at the station house, they were brave enough to let themselves be seen on the streets for the first time since Vaughn began his wild crusade.

Now, as the prisoner has turned over a new leaf, and has sought forgiveness as well as having forgiven, it is not probable his people will prosecute him. His alone, but when he is drunk, his wife and family live in mortal dread of him.

Vaughn will be tried in the recorder's court this afternoon before Judge Andy Several witnesses have been summoned, who will give graphic descriptions of how Vaughn tore up his home and how he hunted for the young people with a gun and club, vowing to slay them

### DEATH OF MR. WIKLE.

An Old Resident Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon.

S. D. Wikle, who has for some been associated with the Dodson Printers Supply Company, in the capacity of roller-maker, died yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at his late residence, North Boulevard. He was born in Gil-mer county, Georgia, in 1837, and was married to Miss Sue Junkin, at Cartersville, in

He is survived by his wife and four children, Mrs. J. T. Wright, Mrs. Henry W. Yarborough, Mr. James Kikle, who is connected with the Elsas, May Company, and Mr. Cliff Wikle, who was associated with his father in the Dodson Supply Com-

He joined the Methodist church in his early days and has been a consistent member ever since. He was a member of the Grace Methodist Episcopal church and has lived an unright Christian life, passing away with the love and respect of all who knew him. He was an old newspaper man, having been in the business before the war. At the close of the war he accented a position as pressman on The Macon Telegraph, which position he held for many years. For the past ten years he has been connected in business with his life-long fitlend. Mr. W. C. Dadson, and in his employ became accuranted with nearly all of the weekly newspaper men in the state. The funeral services will be held at the residence. 257 North Boulevard, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. A. C. Thomas officiating, and the remains will be taken to Cartersville tomorrow morning, at which place the interment will occur. The following gentlemen will act as nailharrers; Messrs, W. C. Dedson, B. F. Bernett, M. E. Chanman, N. C. Snence, W. V. Terry, W. J. Campbell and W. S. Thompson.

MRS. MADDOCKS DEAD.

An Old Lady Succumbs to Pneumonia. Her Death Was Expected.

Mrs. Kate M. Maddocks, aged 69 years, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. H. D. Spinks, 368 East Fair street. She had been ill with pneumonia for some time and her death was not entirely unexpected by her friends and reletives. pected by her friends and relatives.

The funeral services will be held at St.

Paul's church, on Hunter street, this morning at 11 o'clock, and the interment will be at Oakland cemetery.

Wednesday.

He Reached the City Last Night and Reported to the Commissioners. Will Employ a Large Force.

Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock a large force of hands will begin work on the new jail bullding, and day by day the pick and shovel and hammer and saw will steadily build up the walls and pash the mammoth structure on to completion. Yesterday afternoon Contractor L. P.

Hazen, of the firm of Hazen & Co., arrived in the city, and is stopping at the Kimball. For the present Mr. Hazen will have an office at 91/2 Peachtree street, in the office of Supervising Architect Grant Wilkins, but in a few days he will establish an office on the jail lot, at the corner of Hunter and Butler streets. He will personally oversee the work and will devote most of his time to the execution of the contract he now holds with the county commissioners.

Under the terms and agreements of the ontract, Mr. Hazen must deliver the fail complete to the board of county commis sioners by the last day of the year, and in order to do this he will be compelled to work without any interruption every day until his limit expires. He says there will be no trouble in completing his contract within the specified time and everything will be ready by December 31st.

"There have been a number of details that were necessary to be arranged before oming to Atlanta and beginning work, says Contractor Hazan, "and this has required a good deal of time and extra labor. I have now completed my arrangements Vednesday morning. After Wednesday the jail lot will present a busy appearance. We will have a large force of nards at work and will get everything ready for the

foundations as soon as possible."

The supplies will be received on the lot from a side track that is to be constructed from the Georgia railroad and ruch money will be saved in the nandling of the freight, as there will be no necessity for drayage. The track will be built as soon drayage. The track will be built as soon as the work of excavation is completed and the building material will then begin to

The construction of the jati will be con fined entirely to the plans and specifica-tions drawn by Supervising Architect Grant Wilkins and there will be no changes or deviations made. Mr. Wilkins will be in laily conference with Contractor Hazen and all the work will be closely inspected before it is accepted.

CLEVELAND'S PRINCETON HOUSE

It Was Built Forty Years Ago by Commmodore Stockton.

The New York Journal. The home in Princeton, N. J., which Mr. Cleveland bought from Mrs. Slidell, at a price believed to approximate \$20,000, was built some forty years ago by Commodore Stockton on a part of the historic estate of Morven, which has been in the possession of the Stocktons for upward of 200 years. It was at Morven, then owned by Richard Stockton, one of the signers of the Declar-ation of Independence, that the first session of the American congress was held. Commodore Stockton inherited the prop-erty, and brought up his family at Morven. As tutor for his children he engaged William Dod, a graduate of Princeton college then studying at the theological seminary, and afterwards Princeton's most famous preacher when he assumed the rectorship of Trinity church. His brother was fessor A. B. Dod of Princeton college.

The young tutor had not been a member of the commodore's household long before he fell in love with pretty Miss Stockton. Feeling that he had his career all to make, and that he was then in a position at least savoring of independence, Mr. Dod, in the spirit of that Bayard, sans peur et sans reproche, from whose family he claimed descent, went to the commodore and too him that he found it necessary to leave his him that he found it necessary him to give house. The commodore urged him to give his reasons, and after much pressure Mr. Dod was persuaded to tell the story of his

Without a moment's hesitation the con modore insisted that affection between his daughter and the teacher was a reason rather for Mr. Dod's remaining than leav-

He at once set about building the home for the young people which now is soon to be occupied by the Clevelands, and deed-ed it to the Rev. William Dod, with about ten acres of estate of Morven as a wed-

ding gift...
A son of the commodore later married a sister of the Rev. William Dod. and Bayard Stockton, the present occupant of Mor-ven, was the result of their union. Oddly enough, Morven fronts on Bayard avenue

enough, Morven fronts on Bayard avenue and Stockton street, the boundaries of his estate thus having both his names.

For fifteen years the Rev. William Dod occupied the house provided by his father-in-law, and then died, his wife having preceded him. In winding up his estate for the benefit of the heirs, one of whom is J. B. Dod, a musician of ability, long choir matter and organist of the Little Church master and organist of the Little Church Around the Corner, in this city, some of the land was deeded back to the Stocktons, and the house with the rest was placed on the market.

Mrs. Slidell, a wealthy widow, hearing that the property was for sale, sent her son William to inspect it and inquire as to the terms. When he had learned all he could, he wrote to his mother, giving her specific details and instructing her to tele-

Her reply reached him "Do." Supposing that she had simply deviated slightly from his instructions, he went ahead with arrangements for the deal. When Mrs. Sli dell heard from her son that the deeds were ready, she decided to abide by his bargain, though she explained that she had wired "No," the telegraph operator having made a mistake of one letter.

Some time after Mrs. Slidell had settled in her new home. William supprised his

in her new home, William surprised his mother by taking as his wife a ywoman who had served as maid. slidell, Sr., however, always had entertain ed a high regard for her son's bride, and received her kindly. The younger woman bore herself with so sweet and modest a demeanor, and her education was taken in hand with such success, that she speedily won her way into Princeton so-ciety, and old residents recall the story with only the kindliest feelings and no touch of that malice which generally dogs the lives of women who "marry above

After William Slidell and his mother had died, Mrs. William Slidell continued to occupy the home for some years, then re-moving to Baltimore, with her daughters, where she had lived in her youth. The Princeton mansion was advertised for sale or a long time before it found a purchaser

People of Princeton believe that Mr. leveland has décided to make his winter home with them, because he always has been well received there, his wife likes the e and he will be at once within easy reach of New York and Barne-

# VAUGHN'S NEW LEAF WORK ON JAIL BEGINS IN HIS NEW ROLE HIS HEALTH FAILS Here's Your

corder's Matinee This Afternoon.

Atlanta's Tragedian Says It Means Imprisonment for Debt-Smith Clayton Will Defend Him.

The famous Scott Thornton, Atlanta's only interpreter of the legitimate tragedy, will be tried today in the recorder's court for the non-parment of his street tax. This in itself is enough to excite the common herd, but the story does not end here by any means. Smith Clayton, lecturer and journalist, will appear in his behalf and plead the case before Judge Andy's tribunal.

This is a case that will go down in the annals of the police court as one of the most exciting and interesting trials that have ever been conducted there, and it is probable that when the time for it to begin arrives the court will be packed with an eager crowd which will have come for a look at the eminent actor.

Scott has been guilty of the offense of neglecting to pay for the bricks that he has worn out trudging over the city. The city officials say that Scott wears out more bricks in one year than would the averag man in two or three. Therefore they have sent the sturdy thesplan a notice that his tax is long overdue, and Scott has an swered that he has not the wherewith to settle the debt.

Then a notice was sent to him which informed his drooping spirits that unless he paid by a certain time he would be ar rested and be made to pay. The time is up tomorrow. Scott has not paid the amount, which is \$2.50, and he has been served with a summons to appear before the recorder and show cause why he should not be made to serve his time in the city stockade.

It was only a few days ago that Smith Clayton took a hand in the game. When he was informed by Scott of the latter's predicament he at once volunteered to take charge of the case and see if a man can be imprisoned for not paying the city a debt. He has looked up the law on the subject and says that he is confident that he will win the case.

He said last night that he would make he argument in the recorder's court today that taxes due the city are only a debt and that to imprison a man for not paying them would be to put him in prison for debt. He also said that he had advised Scott to go to jail if the recorder fined him and afterwards to sue the city for damages.

Mr. Clayton said: "I have agreed to take charge of Scott's case and expect to win it. If the recorder finds against me I will certiorar the case and carry it be-fore Judge Lumpkin, who, I am confident,

will give me a decision in the case.
"I have advised Scott to go to fail in case that he is fined by the recorder and then to sue the city if Judge Lumpkin finds that he has been wrongfully imprisoned. I shall make the argument that street I shall make the argument that street taxes are nothing more or less than a debt and that to imprison a man for not pay-ing them is to imprison him for debt, which we all know is contrary to the laws of this state.

"Why, don't you know, that men are right in this city are every year excused from paying their taxes because they have not the money. It is true that if they have property it is levied on, but if they have no real estate the matter is dropped. Now the city has for a long time been sending its citizens to the stockade for not paying their street taxes when everyone knows, or should know, that it is illegal.
"The laws of the state of Georgia say

that no man shall be imprisoned for debt, and when any city in the state sends men to the stockade for the non-payment of taxes, which is only a debt, the laws of the state have been violated. This is the whole case and I feel confident that Judge Lumpkin will decide in my favor, if the

recorder does not.
"I don't think that Scott should be liable "I don't think that Scott should be liable for street taxes anyway. He is the only legitimate tragedian in the city and is an honor to it and to his profession. He only plays the very highest sort of tragedy and refuses to so degrade his art as to enter anything light. His line is such plays as 'Richelieu,' "The Fool's Revenge' and Shakespearean plays.

"Scott has received several very tempting and flattering offers from vaudeville com-

and flattering offers from vaudeville com panies, but he has refused them all and will wait for a chance to enter tragedy on the road."

EGYPTIAN PLAGUES EXPLAINED A Modern Light Thrown on These Ancient Miracles.

The Buffalo Commercial. What are the facts underlying the account in Exodus of the plagues of Egypt? On this subject a German physician at Cairo, writing to The Leipsic Christliche Welt, makes some interesting observations. His personal experiences and investigations lead him to the conclusion that the story of the ten plagues, while given in the Penteuch in a heroic and idealized form, has its basis in natural facts which are peculiar to Egypt. Thus the turning of the river into "blood" he believes accounted for by the sandstorms which about Novembe blow from the Libyan desert, and which have been known at times to contain minute red infusoriae, which, falling into the water, turn it a blood color. Whether this in itself causes the fish to die is not known to the writer, but the sinking of the river causes about this time an immense mor tality amongst the fish, which, left by the retiring waters, die and cause the land "tostink." It is at this season, also, that millions of frogs and toads are developed in the standing water and these, as the water retires, cover the land. This visitation is often accompanied by swarms of lice, ants, snakes and snails. In December the condition of the ground just left by the retiring waters is peculiarly favorable to the development of epidemics amongst the cattle. As to the plague of "blains," he says the Upper Nile is the home for this disease, which in its worst form breaks out as black boils. The storm of hall next men-tioned would naturally become historical, so very seldom is this occurence in Egypt. It would take place in January, the only menth in which it was possible. The plague of locusts would follow in the early spring, generally in March. It is curious however, in this connection, observes The London Christian World, to note that the papers announce a visitation of locusts at Tokar, near Suakim, which have devoured the cotton crops. In April comes often the south wind, called the "chamsin," which brings with it a fine sand which seems often to blot out the sun and cause a temporary darkness. Often a pestilence follows the "chamsin." That it should strike only the firstborn is, of course, not materially explained, except that some observers note that to this disease the young seem special-ly liable. The recital, it will be seen, covers the whole series of plagues in their order The German writer from whom we derive these particulars concludes that the year of the plagues must have been a phenomenal in which the natural characteristics one, in which the natural characteristic of the country and the season were accentu ated in a manner calculated to strike the popular imagination both of Egyptians and Israelites, and to impress them with a sense

of divine interposition.

The Erstwhile Irate Father-in-Law Gets | Contractor Hazen Will Break Dirt Next | Scott Thornton Will Star in the Re- Dr. Hawtherne, Badly Broken in Health, Goes to Florida.

A Letter from Him Is Read to the First Baptist Congregation.

LAST EFFORT TO REGAIN LOST HEALTH

An Impressive Incident of the Morning Services at the First Baptist Church Yesterday.

Dr. J. B. Hawthorne, the former pastor of the First Baptist church, will be in Atlanta today. He will remain only a short time, however, between the arrival and departure of his trains.

Dr. Hawthorne is on his way to Florida, where he will spend some time endeavoring to regain his lost health.

At the services at First Baptist church yesterday Dr. Landrum read a letter from Dr. Hawthorne stating that he would pass through Atlanta, also saying that he was in badiy broken health and that his trip to Florida was a last effort to regain his health.

For more than a year Dr. Hawthorne has been in bad health. Before he left Atlanta for Nashville, his new charge, his health was failing. Since his residence in that city it has not improved; in fact, has grown worse.

In taking charge of his Nashville congregation, he went into a new community and his work in the beginning was greater than while in Atlanta. Though his health was falling, he did not falter in his duties, and with increased ardor he entered this new field with less vigor than when he left Atlanta.

Today he is almost a physical wreck, it is said. Many of his friends of this city will be at the depot today to greet him. In his letter, which was read yesterday before his old congregation, he stated that his health was gone; that he was on his way to Florida to make one last effort to regain it. It will be either to regain that once healthful constitution, or as he states to give up hope of ever being strong again. The reading of the letter affected every person in his congregation. Dr. Hawthorne is not of a despondent nature, but his letter yesterday was a sad one to its hearers.

Dr. J. B. Hawthorne was one of the most opular men of this city, and since he has een away many new friends realized his worth to this community. He had, at the time he left, the largest charge of any pastor in the city. His church was crowded to the doors on Sundays, and during the last year here the church was too small for his many admirers, and hardly a Sunday passed that hundreds were not turned

Dr. Landrum and a number of the Bap-tist church congregation will be at the train today to meet Dr. Hawthorne. He will be in Atlanta for only a short time. He leaves on the first train for Florida. His friends in this city wish him an early recovery and sadly realize the mission or which he is bound.

ELLEN TERRY'S KIND NATURE. A Characteristic Trait of the Great

English Actress. A writer in The Boston Transcript contributes the following interesting story about Ellen Terry:
The destruction of the ancient Chain Pier

at Brighton. England, in the severe gale of November 30th recalls many old associa-tions. Dating from the reign of George IV. it has been the fashionable resort and promenade of many distinguished person-ages, both real and fictitious, and of the latter several immortalized by Thackeray and Dickens. Among these, not one is bet-ter remembered or seems more real than poor little Paul Dombey, for it was while spending his last hours there that he asked that poetic question, "What are the wild waves saying, sister, the whole day long?" Indeed, it was impossible to go there without fancying that pathetic pair of children going up and down the old pier. Its very last days brought out a touching trait in the character of the great actress, Eller Terry. The Chain Pier had long been con-demned as unsafe. and all the little shops and stalls clustering about it, where shells and small curjosities were sold, were close except one. This one, presided over by very old woman, was approached one da by a former resident of Brighton, only there for one last look at the pier, the scene of so much happiness in his childhood. He and the old stall proprietor were chatting sociably of the past, "when all the world was young," and he asked how she ventured to still remain in such a dangerous spot. "Well, sir," she said, "you see I'm werry old now, and don't know no other way to git my livin'. I'm like a lim-pet, sir, sticking to the rock, and I'll just bide where I am till I'm pulled off." Then bidding her good-day, her visitor noticed for the first time the name "Ellen Terry" painted over the stall. "That's the honored name of a lady in London," he said. "Yes, sir, so many a one's told me, and it's my name, too; course I never seen the lady (heaving a deep sigh) and it's little she's cared to see the likes o' me." Later on a happy thought induced this gentleman to write to "Ellen Terry in London," relating the whole story of her old namesake her age, poverty, etc. By return post came a charming reply, saying: "I am greatly interested in your account and think you ever so kind to write to me. I inclose £10 ever so kind to write to me. I inclose £10 for now and will come and see her my first spare day." And so she did, coming down from London on a Sunday, soon atter; paid a visit to the old woman, delighted her heart by her kindness, and though no trace of relationship could be discovered, promised her a small pension as long as she lived, and the old shop disappeared none too soon. However, this is only one more instance of the unfailing generosity and true kindness of heart of Ellen Terry, who gives freely, not only her money, but valuable help and advice, to many a young beginner in her art. But "what a cloud of witnesses" can testify to the same characteristics in all great actors and actresses, past and present. No other profession comes so gallantly to the resuce of its brothers and sisters in their hour of need. Much they do is known to the public; much more is unknown.

THEY CAN SEE THE CENTENNIAL Postponement of the Date of Railway

Men's Convention. Knoxyille, Tenn., January 10.—(Special.)— The convention of railway men, consisting of the Orders of Railway Telegraphers, Conductors, Firemen and Engineers of the Southern, which was to have been held in this city on January 25th and 26th, has been postponed and the place of meeting chang-ed. I will be held in Nashville during the Centennial, which opens May 1st, but the date of the meeting has not been agreed

NOTICE OF SALE OF UNCLAIMED FREIGHT.

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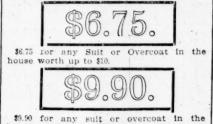
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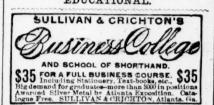


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To the Hon, Allen D. Candler, Secretary of State for the State of Georgia.—The petition of John C. Kirkpatrick, Donald M. Bain, Frank S. Ellis, Mark L. Tolbert and J. H. Winkler shows:

1. That the said John C. Kirkpatrick resides in the county of DeKalb, in said state; Donald M. Bain, Mark L. Tolbert and J. H. Winkler each in the county of Fulton, in said state, and Frank S. Ellis in the city and state of New York.

2. That petitioners desire to organize an incorporated company and engage in the business of life insurance on the mutual plan, under a charter granted by said state, with the principal office of the corporation in said county of Fulton.

3. That the name of the insurance company they desire to have incorporated is COMMERCHAL MISTILL LIEUX ASSOCIA

3. That the name of the insurance company they desire to have incorporated is COMMERCIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION.

4. The kind of insurance they propose to carry out is mutual life insurance.

5. That they do, in good faith, intend to go forward and organize said company.

6. That they desire all the rights, powers and privileges now permitted, or that may hereafter be permitted, by law, to be exercised by mutual life insurance companies, including the right to make such by-laws, rules and regulations for the government of the company and the conduct of its business as are not prohibited by law. law. 7. That they request that they, their associates, successors and assigns may be incorporated under the laws of said state, with all the rights, powers and privileges

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Father Schadewell Has Arrived in the City.

BEEN AT COLUMBUS

People of That City Disliked To See Him Leave-He Has Many Friends Here.

Rev. Father G. X. Schadewell, who has for the past two years been stationed in Columbus, and who was ordered by Bishop Becker, of this diocese; to come to this city as assistant to Father Bazin, who is in charge of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, arrived in the city at a late

· Father Schadewell is well known here six years, and during which time he endeared himself to his church. He was at that time assistant to Rev. Father Keiley, who but recently left here, and in that-

He first came to this city-that is, to remain-in 1888, from Macon, where he had been for some time connected with the Central Georgia mission, which operates. extensively throughout all of the central part of the state.

After arriving in the city in ISSS Father Schadewell at once assumed active charge of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, under Father Kelley, and for the fol-lowing six years he performed his duty with a zeal and earnestness that was not only beautiful to behold, but which earned for him a place in the hearts of all who knew him.

It was on the 24th of December, 1894, that the news came that he had been trans-ferred to the Church of the Holy Family In Columbus, and the news caused sorrow to all of those who had been associated in this city. After arriving at Columbus he at once assumed active control of his charge there and, although he was an entire stranger to every one in the city, he soon became very popular there. It was first rumored that he would be

returned to Atlanta about three weeks ago and the people of Columbus at once began to make a demonstration. When the rder came from the bishop that Father chadewell would be transferred to this city, a petition was sent to him requesting that his order be revoked, but the bishop as not to be moved and the order : tood. Amid general sorrow from all denominations, Father Schadewell took his leave of the Columbus people several days ago and came to Atlanta. The people of Columbus were sorry to have him taken away from them and Father Schale well was sorry to leave. He has done excellent work during his stay in that city and had several organizations and secieties that he would like to have placed on a little better footing before taking his departure, but the order had several order. but the order had come and there was nothing else to do but to obey it. Personally Father Schadewell is one of the most toylal and charming prices that

the most jovial and charming priests that has ever come to this city. Although at the proper time he can be as serious as the occasion demands, he can also laugh and tell a joke with the best of story tellers. Besides his parish duties he is very fend of social life, and during his stay in this city, several years ago, he was an important factor at all of the informal entertainments given by the Catholics of the

CENSURE FOR SUNDAY CONCERT

Dr. Landrum Speaks Briefly but Positively About This Amusement. The sacred concerts that have been given a Atlanta for several Sundays past at the

hurch, in his discourse yesterday.

Dr. Landrum spoke very briefly, but postively, about these concerts. He said that here was very little sacred music played; in fact, that all of the concerts he had heard from did not play any sacred music at all; that they were using this name as scapegoat to give a musical programme

"These sacred concerts are an evil in the community and should be stopped," he said. Sunday was not the day to sit and listen to operatic airs, but was a day of worship, and that there are any number of religious meetings going on that those who attended the concerts could well visit, and to bet

MADE TWO RUNS YESTERDAY. Fire Department Called on Twice During the Day.

The fire department had two runs yesterday. The first was at 10 o'clock and came from box 335, and it called the laddles to a house on Peters street, near Beermann, A few shingles on the roof of the house

The second alarm was rung in from box If at 425 o'clock in the afternoon and alled the department to a house on Farg treet, near Loyd, where they found a few hingles of the roof in a blaze. It was easly extinguished and the damage was very

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There are at present eighty-five in the care of the home, ranging from the age of four months to eleven years.

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### What Mrs. Nelson Says.

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Mrs. Nelson said yesterday:

"We have quite a number of children in our care that are of good parentage and if we could get them adopted in good homes we know they would make excellent children. We have four girls, one one month old, ore four months, one seven years and one cleven years of age. We also have three boys, one four months and two eleven years old.

"These children have been carefully trained. They regularly attend the nearest Protestant church to the home, Grace church, and are taught daily with a view to giving them an education: People who have taken our little ones into their homes have been surprised and delighted with their training. During the past year we have placed about ten in good homes and are anxious to place others.

"We receive aid from the city, the county and by private subscriptions. We owe a debt of \$200 on the lot on which the home is now located and a running expense of \$200.

Can't Hold the Children.

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"We often have trouble with the parints of the children that we take," continued Mrs. Nelson. "Sometimes after teeping a child awhile the parents want it eturned to them, which we do not like o do unless we know that the parents an properly care for it, but now a law tas been passed which gives us the exhusive right to a child after we have had in charge for one year. As a rule the oninger a child is the more apt we are to not a home for it. We are always glad to welcome strangers to the home and how them our beautiful little charges,"

### ADVERTISED LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Atlanta, Ga., postoffice, week ending January 5, 1867. Persons calling will please say "advertised" and give date. One cent must be paid on each advertised letter. Male List.

Male List.

A-C. H. Austin, Joe E. L. Arnold, Will Akles, Henry L. Attaway.

B-Earnest Barsh, Clifton Bringham, Billie Buck, Harry Brown, George L. Belcher, G. L. Brown, A. S. Bayer & Co., Dock Bates, John Barry, R. F. Becack, D. W. Ballard, Dun Berie, Garrett Bromley, J. S. Baird, Oliver Breedlove, J. B. Bunt, T. S. Byson.

C-J. P. Calligan, E. B. Cope, J. Mal-S. Byson.
C.-J. P. Calligan, E. B. Cope, J. Maler Clarke, J. J. Compharnly, Colonel T. S. Coffeè, Patrick Casey, Thomas Costello, D.—Sammie Dunkin, B. J. Daniel, Daniel A. Dye, A. L. Doyel, Paul B. Diver, H. A. Daniells, G. N. Dodd, G. H. Dolvin, E.—M. A. Eddins, F. R. Estes, C. G. Ekin.

E.-M. A. Eddins, F. R. Estes, C. G. Elkin.
F.-A. D. Forbes, Henry Ferguson.
G.-Paul Graves, J. S. Gains, E. G. Dodwin, Gurley H. Gibáon, Mr. Goodwin,
II.-Frank Hammond, James Harvey, Hail.
Henner, H. A. Hill.
J.-Nick Jane, C. C. Johnson, J. K.
Johnson, Meling Jenkins.
K.-C. C. King (2), James King, D. H.
Klugel, J. N. King.
I.-F. J. Lindley, M. J. Lincks, I. C.
Lindar, Alonzo Long, F. W. Lucas, J. R.
Leard, Maurice Love.
M.-Dewight Marchouse, Dr. A. J. Martin,
W. M. Master, James Mayo, Sam McGinty,
H. Darwin Mann, Amsier McDaniel.
O.-J. Z. Oglesby, Isaac Osbourne, Tom
Osburn. Osburn.
P-McCord Pearce, Mr. Pateck, D. E.
Patterson, Henry Powe.
R-F. M. Runnels, C. P. Rose, James H.
Rieman, George W. Robinson, L. Robert-

son.
S—Jim Spink, McKee Scott, J. C. Shares,
F. I. Strevens (2), Charles A. Spiller, Robert F. Smith, James Smith & Co.
T—W. J. Turner, C. E. Thomas, Dr.
Rob A. Thompson.
V—E. Van Dustin.
W—T. M. Wright, Isah Wood (colored),
Samuel Wood, W. H. Whaley. Female List.

Female List.

A-Miss Mary Andrews, Mrs. Essie R. Alexander(2). Miss Delia Armstrong, Miss Maude Ayman, Mrs. R. B. Ammon.

B-Miss Bessie Barns (2). Miss Beatrice Brownson, Miss Carrie Eroughton, Mrs. Fannie Bealer, Miss Clauda Bell.

C-Mary Crawford, Miss Phillis Cook, Mrs. L. M. Carper.

D-Mrs. Walter DeGrantard, Mrs. Isabelle Day. elle Day.

E-Miss Sallie Ellis, Miss Sadie Ellis, Mrs.

J. Elliott, Mrs. Annie Every.

F-Ratchel Farmer, Mrs. E. J. Flint-G-Miss Mamle Grean, Mrs. J. W. Gun-

mey.

H-Miss Hallman, Miss Maggie Harris,
Lusandy Harking.

J-Mrs. Harvey O. Judd, Miss Sallie Jen-

J-Mrs. Harvey O. Judd, Miss Saine Jenkins.
K-Mrs. Katharine Kemp, Miss Willie
King, Mrs. Julia Keynon.
L-Miss Vidorie Lockett.
M-Mrs. M. L. Millie, Miss May McGims,
Mamie Myers, Mrs. Sallie Mose, Miss Pattie Mash, Mrs. M. C. Moreland (2).
P-Miss Heulen T. Pierson.
R-Miss Heulen T. Pierson.
R-Miss Hartha Reed, Miss Lizzle Raden,
Mrs. Hattle Russell.
S-Miss Anna Stowball, Miss Dellar Snyder, Miss Carrie Strickland, Miss Caroline
Smith, Miss Mary I. Smith, Mrs. F. L.
Stevens.

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T-Mrs. Lola Thomas.
W-Miss Bessie Walker, Miss Emma
Woodcock, Miss Dilcie Wathall, Miss Hattle I. Waterman, Mrs. F. M. Ware. Miscellaneous.

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